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DAILY GAZETTE.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—A heavy snow-storm prevailed at Allentown, Pa., yesterday.

—Dispatches from Delaware, Anna and other parts of Central Ohio report snow falling all day yesterday.

—Three laborers were killed on Tuesday morning by the falling of an embankment at College Point, Long Island.

—The Executive Committee of the National Grange has sent one thousand dollars to the suffering Grangers in Louisiana.

—The harbor of Kingston, Can., is clear of ice, and navigation has been resumed. The Collingwood harbor is still blocked.

—About two thousand dollars worth of provisions were shipped from Cincinnati yesterday for the benefit of the Louisiana sufferers.

—The President has nominated Samuel S. Burdett, of Missouri, to be Commissioner of the General Land Office, Vice Drummond, resigned.

—Obediah Boune, Congressman from the Second District of New York in 1851, committed suicide at a hotel on Staten Island on last Monday night.

—Augustus Bradley, agent of the Indianapolis, Bloomington & Western Railroad at Bloomington, Ill., committed suicide on Tuesday morning by shooting himself.

—Ex-Lieutenant Governor Cumback, of Indiana, addressed the citizens of New Albany last night upon the subject of temperance in a speech of one hour and a half.

—The heaviest storm of the winter occurred in the vicinity of Fort Wayne, Ind., on Monday. Snow fell ten or twelve inches on a level. So far as heard from the fruit is uninjured.

—Both branches of the Baltimore City Council have passed a resolution appropriating twenty-five thousand dollars for the relief of the sufferers by the flood in the Mississippi Valley.

—The Cecelia extension of the Louisville, Paducah & Southwestern Railroad having been completed, through trains are running on the regular line and making southern connections.

—Joseph Hyde, a farmer living near Overton, Neb., was run over by a freight train of the Union Pacific Railroad and killed, last Monday night. He was drunk, and went to sleep on the track.

—At a meeting of first mortgage bondholders of the L. C. & L. Short Line Railroad, resolutions were adopted favorable to the terms proposed by the company for funding the coupons of 1874-5 as they accrue into consolidated mortgage bonds.

—The Comptroller of the Currency has declared a dividend of thirty per cent. in favor of the creditors of the First National Bank of New Orleans, payable May 4th, making sixty per cent. dividends in all.

—Parties in St. Louis in a position to know the facts in the case, say the report that Senator Schurz will take editorial charge of a German newspaper in New York after the expiration of his term is not true.

—R. E. Whitehouse, a shoemaker, committed suicide by cutting his throat at Windsor, Mich., last Monday evening. He ran away from his wife and four children in Lynn, Mass., and had been living for a year past with a Miss Doly, by whom he had a child.

—The corner stone of the Vanderbilt University at Nashville was laid on Tuesday by Bishop Payne. Addresses were delivered by Bishop McTyre, Gov. Brown and Judge Morgan, of Memphis. The attendance was very large. The business houses of the city were closed after two P. M.

—There was a heavy run on the Freedman's Savings Bank in Charleston, S. C., yesterday. At first depositors were paid in full, but as the run continued the bank paid only twenty per cent. of their deposits, and required sixty days' notice for the balance. The deposits in the bank on April 1st were $256,000.

—Frederick Douglass, President of the Freedmen's Savings Bank in Washington, says depositors need give themselves no uneasiness, and should not dispose of their claims at a sacrifice. Those employed at the bank assure him that if depositors will be patient for a very short time the bank and its branches will be able to pay dollar for dollar.

CRIMES.

—Ernest Moore was kicked to death, in New York, by Henry Muller, yesterday.

—An Ottawa (Ont.) man, named O'Reilly, last Monday night beat his crippled wife to death with her crutch.

—Joseph Criqui, late a Captain on the lakes, during an altercation in Buffalo yesterday afternoon shot and instantly killed James Fitzgerald. The latter was the aggressor.

—The trial of Detective Lahy, indicted for the murder of McNamara, in New York, by shooting him through the door while the officers were searching for Dutch Harmon, was begun yesterday.

—At Yankton, D. T., on Tuesday, Wintermute was arraigned on an indictment for the murder of General McCook, and plead "Not guilty." The case was set for a hearing on Tuesday, May 5th, and will then doubtless proceed as soon as a jury can be procured.

—The coroner's jury in the case of the "cow pasture" murder, near Boston, where a child four and a half years of age was found dead, stabbed in thirty-one places, a week ago, rendered a verdict charging the boy Pomeroy with the crime. Pomeroy is only fourteen years old.

—A dispatch from Guyandotte, W. Va., says that Charles Smith shot with a revolver and instantly killed R. H. L. Hayslip, Postmaster at that place and editor of the Guyandotte *Echo*. Smith was arrested, but says he and Hayslip were warm friends, and that the shooting was entirely accidental.

—Stephen Hood, colored, convicted at the last December term of the Cleveland Court of Common Pleas of the murder of his stepson, Greenburg Hood, on July 17, 1873, is to be executed to-day. Since his conviction he has persistently declared his innocence of any knowledge or participation in the crime.

—An investigation into the case of Mary Julien, who died in Fort Wayne, Ind., last Friday night, of an attempt at abortion, has revealed the fact that another young girl at the St. Joseph Hospital has died from the same cause within the last few days. Considerable excitement has been occasioned by these discoveries.

—The individual representing himself in Lafayette, Ind., as H. C. Hedges, programme agent of Howe's Circus, arrested by a press agent, was yesterday morning taken into custody by a special Postoffice agent, charged with violation of the postal laws in receiving letters that did not belong to him. A preliminary examination was had before the United States Commissioner, and in default of $500 bail was locked up.

FIRES.

—The Imperial Straw Works in Montreal, Canada, were burned on Monday night.

—A fire in Logansport, Ind., on Monday night destroyed about $12,000 worth of property.

—The Kingston market, Kingston, Caledonia and Johnston Hotels, and an agricultural warehouse were destroyed in Ottawa, Canada, on Tuesday morning. Loss $100,000.

FOREIGN.

ACHEEN.

Battles with the Dutch.

THE HAGUE, April 28.—A dispatch from Pedang reports battles between the Dutch and Acheenese on the 11th and 16th insts., without decisive results.

ACHEEN, April 25.—In the battle of the 11th 8,000 natives made a general attack on the Dutch position. They attempted to carry the works at Kraton by assault, and were driven back with great slaughter, after eight hours' fighting. All the Dutch forces, with the exception of a garrison of 2,500 men in Kraton, will return to Java on the 26th inst.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Fatal Accident in Newgate.

LONDON, April 28.—Three buildings in Newgate fell to-day, killing and maiming a number of persons.

GERMANY.

Surplus in the Prussian Treasury.

BERLIN, April 27.—The Prussian Minister of Finance reports a surplus of 21,000,000 thalers for 1873.

A Murderer Pointing Out His Victims' Graves.

HUDSON, April 26.—Waltz, the Catskill murderer, was taken to his farm this morning, and pointed out where he alleges his first victim, an organ grinder, was buried. The place is covered with water, and is being drained, preparatory to digging. An organ crank, oil can and a full suit of clothing, as well as a sponge with which he says he wiped up the blood, were found in places which he designated. Digging for the body will be commenced as soon as the water is drained off. There seems now but little doubt that Waltz killed two men previous to the scissors grinder.

FIRST EDITION.

HARRISBURG.

Rutan's Day in the Senate—His two Bills Moving Along—The "School Book" Commission—Constitutional Amendments—Philadelphia's Bill Defeated—Evans in the Bankruptcy Court.

Special to the Gazette.

HARRISBURG, April 28, 1874.

SENATE.

The "School Book" Question.

The Senate was occupied all morning with Rutan's bill for the Commission to select a series of text books for public schools. The debate was as sharp as it was lengthy. The Senators who advocated it were Senators Rutan, Wallace, Humphreys, McClure and Cooper, and it was opposed by Playford, Fitch and Ermentrout. The discussion was ended just a few minutes before adjournment, and no vote was taken.

The bill was taken up at the afternoon session, and after some discussion was amended by Senator Wallace, and passed second reading.

Constitution Amendments.

This might very aptly be called "Rutan's day" in the Senate, for the body was engaged principally with measures introduced by him. After the school book bill had been disposed of, the bill offered by him to regulate constitutional amendments was taken up. This bill provides for the appointment of a committee of seven to propose such amendments as may seem judicious. The bill was strongly advocated by Rutan and Wallace, and passed by a vote of 22 to 3.

HOUSE.

Street Improvements.

Mr. NEWMYER read in place an act regulating the paving, grading and curbing of streets, lanes and alleys in the boroughs of the State.

Divided at Last.

The act authorizing a division of the Eighth Normal School District was next taken up, and was passed finally. This little bill has been before the House for some time, and has created considerable discussion, the interest being principally of a local character.

No More Debt.

Philadelphia was checked a little to-day in its financial career. The House took up the bill authorizing an increase of the city's indebtedness in accordance with Section 8, Article 9, of the new Constitution. This is the clause of the Constitution which limits the debts of cities to 7 per cent. of the valuation of the property; but which permits the increase of the debt 3 per cent. in cities which at present have reached the 7 per cent. limit, or allows an increase of 2 per cent. when the assent of the electors is obtained at a public election.

A caucus was held in relation to this bill, among others, by the Democrats, and they resolved to make it a partisan matter,—because they could not get the State apportionment changed to please them. The result was the defeat of the bill by a vote of 50 yeas to 36 nays. It required two-thirds of the members to vote in the affirmative to pass the bill.

Notaries' Fees.

The bill fixing the fees of Notaries was called up and killed.

The following bills were

Passed Finally.

The act fixing and defining the individual liability of stockholders of banks.

The supplement to the act to facilitate the barring of entails.

The act for the annexation of boroughs or townships or parts thereof.

The act for the imprisonment of persons where sentences have been commuted by the Governor.

The act defining the duties of Directors of the Poor.

The act relative to the issue of "free passes" or passes at a discount.

The act for the payment of canvassers in Philadelphia, appointed in accordance with the schedule of the new Constitution.

Personal.

Mr. Forsyth, Oil Inspector for Pittsburgh, is in the Capital to-day.

Supreme Court.

The Supreme Court opens a brief engagement here next week to consider cases from the middle district.

Evans' Bankruptcy.

Geo. O. Evans wants to go into bankruptcy, and has filed his petition to that effect. He sets forth his assets at $49,883, but this has all been pledged as collateral security for money advanced. He owes, including the judgment against him by the State, $199,415.22. He figures up his losses during the seven years he ran his career of luxury, at $306,739.62. There are some rich items in the list. For instance, there are losses by investments in patents of $72,000; paid to S. P. Brown, his Washington conferee, $20,000; D. C. Forney, $6,000; J. R. Dunglison, $2,500; old debts, paid, about $22,000; then last of all, "family traveling and business expenses for seven years," $75,000. This latter figure does not include some $26,000 spent in prosecuting the War Claims, in addition to the amounts paid to Brown *et al.*, as given above. It is likely Mr Evans will get through the Court, even as he got through the money. ARCTIC.

FORTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

The President's Veto of the Finance Bill Sustained.

The Legislative Appropriation Bill Passed by the House.

WASHINGTON, April 28, 1874.

SENATE.

Louisville & Portland Canal.

Mr. STEVENSON presented a preamble and resolutions of the President and directors of the Louisville & Portland Canal Co., claiming that they were opposed to the Government paying the bonds and taking possession of the work, but that they were legally advised not to surrender possession until all debts were paid by the Government. They further stated that the receipts of the company for the past nine years had been but little over $169,000, instead of $350,000 per annum, as stated in the Senate.

Mr. STEVENSON said he had no desire to do the directors any wrong, as they were gentlemen of the highest respectability. The committee had never communicated any facts on the subject to either his colleague or himself. He reiterated his statement, regretting that the company had interposed any objection to the Government taking control of the work.

The resolutions were laid on the table.

Political Disabilities.

Mr. EDMUNDS, from the Judiciary Committee, reported unfavorably on bills to relieve the political disabilities of J. W. Bennet, of Maryland, John Forsythe, of Alabama, Geo. Pickett, of Virginia, David A. Telfair, of North Carolina, and Raphael Semmes, of Alabama. Most of these bills did not have the necessary petitions from the parties named, and the latter one the committee was not disposed to consider favorably. However, the committee was discharged from their further consideration.

Promotions in the Army.

Mr. LOGAN, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported favorably a bill authorizing appointments and promotions in the Medical and Ordnance departments of the United States army.

Removal of a Bank.

The bill to authorize the Citizens National Bank of Hagerstown, Md., to remove to Washington, D. C., was passed—yeas 39, nays 14.

The Vetoed Finance Bill.

The morning hour expired, and the chair announced that the Senate would resume consideration of the Louisiana bill.

Mr. WRIGHT moved that the bill be laid aside and that the finance bill and the President's message vetoing the same, be taken up. The Senator from Indiana (Morton) had given notice last week that he would move take up the bill to-day. That Senator was now confined to his house by sickness, but he was perfectly willing to have the bill considered.

Mr. CONKLING said no notice was given that a motion would be made to take up the bill to-day. During the debate last week it was suggested that the bill be considered to-day, but he (Conkling) declined to accept the suggestion, when he made a motion that the message lay on the table.

Mr. EDMUNDS said his friend from Missouri (Schurz), now absent in Boston upon a mission of public importance, had requested him to ask the Senate not to proceed to the consideration of the finance bill before his return. He would be here on Thursday, and he (Edmunds) thought it would be no more than proper to grant the request. He hoped the bill would not be taken up now.

Mr. SHERMAN moved that the bill be made the special order for Monday next, after the expiration of the morning hour.

Mr. CONKLING said there were good reasons for deferring the vote upon the bill, and no public interest was to be consulted by speedy action. Several Senators were absent, and besides, one of the seats belonging to Massachusetts was vacant. The new Senator desired to be here to record his vote, and certainly that privilege might be accorded him.

After debate Mr. CONKLING asked unanimous consent to have Friday next, at two o'clock, P. M., fixed for consideration of the bill, when a vote should be taken without debate.

Mr. THURMAN said he would be glad to have the bill disposed of, but he thought a measure of this importance must provoke discussion. The bark that was launched upon the waters of an irredeemable paper currency had struck a Presidential rock, and was shattered. He would give his hearty support to any bill which would restore confidence and put the currency of the nation on a sound basis. He did not understand this great diversity of opinion between the administration Senators. For his part he longed to have a return to the good old days of Andrew Jackson, when the President had a good, wholesome influence upon Congress, and when the policy and views of the administration had some weight.

Mr. EDMUNDS said he liked that speech. It put him in mind of old times. [Laughter.] The difference between a Republican and a Democratic was that in a Republican administration the chief magistrate attended to his constitutional duties, whereas in the good old days of Andrew Jackson, if any Democratic Senator failed to come to time or support any measure of the administration, he was not allowed any position in his party. It was for that reason that the people in this country broke down the Democratic administrations, because under them there were constant aggressions against the liberties of the people. In the Republican party every Senator had a right to his own opinions, and acted according to his own views.

The question being on Mr. Wright's motion to lay aside the Louisiana bill and proceed to the consideration of the Finance bill and the President's message,

Mr. CONKLING asked unanimous consent to have the subject made the special order for Friday, and that a vote be taken then without debate.

Mr. MERRIMON—I object.

Mr. CONKLING—Well, we know now he is one who proposes to debate a dead bill.

Mr. ANTHONY suggested that the bill be taken up, and the Senators could agree to have a vote taken as soon as the Senator from North Carolina (Merrimon) finished his speech.

Mr. SARGENT said if Senator Merrimon spoke, other Senators on the opposite side would reserve the right to reply to what he might say.

The vote was then taken on Mr. Wright's motion to lay aside the Louisiana bill and take up the finance bill with the President's message, and it was agreed to—yeas 35, nays 27.

The Chair announced that the finance bill was before the Senate and the question was should it pass, notwithstanding the President's objections. Upon the question the Constitution required that a vote should be taken by yeas and nays.

No one take taking the floor, the roll was called, and the vote resulted: Yeas 34, nays 30 as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Allison, Bogy, Boreman, Cameron, Carpenter, Clayton, Conover, Dennis, Dorsey, Ferry, (Michigan), Goldthwaite, Gordon, Harvey, Hitchcock, Ingalls, Johnston, Lewis, Logan, McCreery, Merrimon, Mitchell, Norwood, Oglesby, Patterson, Pease, Pratt, Ramsey, Robertson, Spencer, Sprague, Tipton, West, Windom and Wright—34.

Nays—Messrs. Anthony, Bayard, Boutwell, Buckingham, Chandler, Conkling, Cragin, Davis, Edmunds, Fenton, Ferry, (Conn.), Flanagan, Frelinghuysen, Gilbert, Hager, Hamilton (Md.), Hamilton (Tenn.), Hamlin, Howe, Jones, Kelly, Morrill (Vt.), Sargent, Scott, Sherman, Stevenson, Stewart, Stockton, Thurman and Wadleigh—30.

Two-thirds not voting in the affirmative, the bill was lost.

Mr. MORRILL, of Maine, who would have voted against the bill, announced that he was paired with Mr. Morton, who would have voted for it.

Mr. RANSOM, who also would have voted for the bill, announced that he would not vote, but would pair himself with Mr. Schurz, who was absent, and who was opposed to the bill.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN moved to take up the Civil Rights bill.

On motion of Mr. BOREMAN, the Senate went into executive session, and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE.

Relief for Louisiana Sufferers.

Mr. GARFIELD, from the Appropriation Committee, reported a bill appropriating ninety thousand dollars for the purchase of rations to be used in the relief of persons suffering from the inundations of the lower Mississippi.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Homesteads.

Mr. NEGLEY asked leave to offer a resolution instructing the Committee on Military Affairs to prepare and report a bill to amend the act of the 8th of June, 1872, relative to soldiers' and sailors' homesteads, so as to allow honorably discharged soldiers and sailors, their widows and orphan children, to acquire homesteads on public lands without being required to commence settlement and improvement.

Mr. DUNNELL objected.

Mr. COBURN, Chairman of the committee, remarked that the question was now before that committee, and would certainly be reported upon.

Impeachment of a Judge.

On motion of Mr. WILSON (Indiana), the Judiciary Committee was instructed to inquire whether Judge William Story, United States District Judge of the Western District of Arkansas, should be impeached for high crimes and misdemeanors.

Another Investigation.

Mr. WOOD offered the following resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means:

Resolved, That the Committee on Ways and Means be authorized and directed to inquire whether any, and if so, whom of the United States Government officials of the city of New York have absented themselves or are now absenting themselves from their official duties to influence and control, by corrupt or improper means, State legislation at the capital of that State, and also whether for these objects they have offered to members of the Legislature any inducements, such as places of profit connected with their offices in New York, to be given after the adjournment of the Legislature.

Legislative Appropriation.

The House then took up the Legislative Appropriation bill, and Mr. GARFIELD, chairman of the committee, addressed the House, giving a resume of the provisions of the bill and the changes made in it by the Committee of the Whole.

The question of printing bank notes and bonds was debated at considerable length by Messrs. Garfield, Dawes, Hale (Me.), Potter, Randall, Maynard and others, an amendment having been voted by the Committee of the Whole increasing the appropriation for that purpose from $500,000 to $1,250,000. The objection made to that amendment by Messrs. Dawes, Hale and Potter was that its object was to break up the present system of printing bank notes and bonds, which worked well, and was properly guarded with all necessary checks, and to place the matter in the hands of the Printing Division of the Treasury, or virtually in the hands of one man, and it was charged in the course of the discussion that one of the objects was to give work to the Columbia Bank Note Engraving Co. in Washington.

Mr. RANDALL advocated the amendment in the interest of economy and of safety. He contended that the objection to the amendment was in the interest of the three bank note engraving companies in New York.

At last the discussion closed and the House proceeded to vote on various amendments. The amendment increasing the salaries of some of the officers of the House was agreed to without the yeas and nays.

The amendment appropriating $5,000 for the purchase of official stamps for the Treasury Department, instead of $200,000, the object being to break up the system of requiring each department to pay its own postage, was agreed to—yeas 130, nays 90.

The House refused to agree to the amendment making the maximum pay of gaugers seven dollars per day, instead of five dollars.

The House also refused to agree to the amendment striking out the appropriations for the assay office at Charlotte, N. C.—yeas 71, nays 136.

The House also refused to agree to the amendment striking out the items for horses and carriages for the Department of Justice—yeas 100, nays 108.

The amendment offered by Mr. Speer (Pa.), requiring the Attorney General to report in detail the expenditures of the contingent fund, was agreed to, also the amendment requiring Clerks and Marshals of District Courts to be residents of the district.

The amendment in reference to the engraving and printing of notes and bonds by the Treasury Department, increasing the amount from $500,000 to $1,125,000, was agreed to—yeas 153, nays 53.

The paragraph appropriating $625,000 for printing notes, bonds, etc., was stricken out without a division. The provision on that subject now stands as follows: "For labor by the day, or piece or contract, including the labor of workmen skilled in engraving, transferring plate, printing, and other specialties necessary for carrying on the work of engraving and printing notes, bonds and other securities of the United States, the pay for such labor to be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury at rates not exceeding the rates usually paid for such work, and for other expenses of engraving and printing notes, bonds and other securities of the United States, $1,125,000."

The amendment striking out the paragraph requiring department clerks to work seven hours a day, instead of six hours, was struck out without the yeas and nays.

The amendment exempting appropriations for river and harbor improvements, light-houses and certain public works, from the law which requires unexpended balances of appropriations to be carried to the surplus fund and covered into the Treasury at the expiration of two years, was agreed to without a division.

These were all the important amendments. The bill was then passed and the House adjourned.

WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER
WASHINGTON, D. C., 1 A. M., April 29, 1874.

Probabilities for To-day.

For New England, fresh and brisk east to north winds, probably high on the coast, cloudy weather and rain or snow.

For the Middle States, fresh and brisk north to west winds and clearing weather over the western portion during the morning, and over the eastern portion during the evening.

For the South Atlantic States, winds veering to west and north, with clear and clearing weather.

For the lower lake region, winds shifting to north and west, with clear and clearing weather.

For the upper lake region, winds veering to east and south, rising temperature and clear or partly cloudy weather.

For Tennessee and the Ohio valley, clear and clearing weather, with north to west winds.

For the Gulf States, northwest to northeast winds, generally lower temperature and clear or partly cloudy weather.

For the upper Mississippi valley and Missouri, winds shifting to easterly and southerly, rising temperature and clear or partly cloudy weather.

The Ohio river above Paducah and the Monongahela will rise, the Mississippi remain nearly stationary and the lower Missouri continue falling.

SECOND EDITION.

Four O'Clock.

THE CAPITAL.

District of Columbia Investigation.

Report on the Alleged Misgovernment in South Carolina.

WASHINGTON, April 28, 1874.

Affairs in Arkansas.

President Grant has received a dispatch from Governor Baxter, of Arkansas, stating that an armed insurrection exists in that State, and asking for aid to protect the State against domestic violence. Governor Baxter says he telegraphed on April 19th, but understands that the President never received the requisition. Gov. Brooks has already made a similar request, and now has two lawyers in Washington looking after his interests. Two lawyers in the employ of Baxter are on their way here. The question who is the actual Governor will be presented to the President for decision, unless some other mode of settlement shall intervene.

District of Columbia Investigation.

The District of Columbia Investigation Committee to-day began the hearing of evidence for the defense. Samuel T. Pritchie, of the firm of Sperry & Pritchie, of Talmage, Ohio, was sworn, and testified that the sewer pipe furnished by his firm to the Board of Public Works was at lower figures than was charged the cities of Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Rochester, Cincinnati, and other cities.

Moses Kelley testified that in his capacity as Cashier of the National Metropolitan Bank he had advanced money to contractors on District securities at 8 per cent. interest, holding the securities as collaterals, but that he had never purchased certificates outright, and that he had no arrangements with the Board of Public Works with reference to the redemption of certificates then advanced upon, but that bank took its chances for payment. He denied that he had ever entered into a conspiracy with Kilbourne and others for the purpose of controlling contracts.

John L. Kidwell, charged as one of the conspirators to secure District contracts, denied that he had ever entered into a conspiracy to secure contracts, and knew nothing of the existence of any such conspiracy. He states that he was President of the Sendra Sandstone Company, and that it had furnished but about $3,000 worth of stone to the Board of Public Works. The company had sold to Jones & Collins, contractors under the board, about $40,000 worth of stone, on which, however, there had been no profits, on account of the pay being in part in District scrip.

Ex-Governor Cooke denied his connection with any organized conspiracy to secure or control contracts. He did not know Rev. Calvin Brown or Kirtland, nor did he know they were operating to secure DeGolyer & McClellan a contract. He knew Chittenden; was casually introduced to him by Huntington, who at the time told witness that Chittenden was endeavoring to secure a contract for DeGolyer & McClellan. Witness told Huntington not to interest himself in Chittenden's business, as his motives might be misconstrued.

Report on the Alleged Misgovernment in South Carolina.

Representative Tremaine, of the sub-committee of the House Judiciary Committee, to-day made a report to the full committee on the memorial of the Taxpayers' Convention of South Carolina asking for relief against alleged misgovernment in that State. A majority of that committee agreed to the report, which was presented to the House, ordered printed and recommitted to the committee.

Mr. ELDRIDGE, on behalf of the minority, will submit views maintaining that Congress should appoint a committee to investigate the condition of affairs in South Carolina. The majority of the committee say the real grievances of the memorialists and those whom they represent relate to the changes in the Constitution of the United States, whereby the colored voters of South Carolina numbered about 90,000 and the white voters about 40,000. Congress has no constitutional power to grant the relief which is asked by the petitioners. It is believed that by a mutual interchange of kind and friendly intercourse, and by the employment of all the means which are found sufficient in other States, the existing evils in the administration of affairs in South Carolina may be remedied by the people themselves. The committee, therefore, report a resolution that the prayer of the memorialists be denied and the committee discharged from further consideration of the subject.

Alleged Violation of the Postal Law.

The House Committee on Postoffices and Post roads to-day heard a statement from the Postmaster General in regard to a charge preferred by Congressman Stone that the law had been violated by the Postoffice Department in connection with a certain mail contract in Texas several years ago. The Postmaster General's explanation showed that he had acted in accordance with the law then existing, fortified by an opinion of the Attorney General as to its proper construction. The law was subsequently changed, but not until long after the matter complained of had been consummated.

New Postal Treaty with France.

The new French and American postal treaty was signed to-day by the Postmaster General and the French minister, and subsequently approved by the President. It will be forwarded to France to-morrow by the Secretary of State for the final action of the French Government.

Cabinet Meeting.

The Cabinet session to-day was unimportant. All the members were present excepting Secretary Richardson, who was represented by Assistant Secretary Sawyer.

The Pension Bill.

The House Committee on Appropriations has completed the pension bill, appropriating twenty-nine million dollars.

THE FLOOD.

Relief for the Sufferers.

NEW ORLEANS, April 28.—Among the contributions for the overflowed sufferers are: From Washington City, $1,000; Manchester, $1,000; Bath, Me., $1,000. The Distributing Committee are working energetically, getting off supplies to all accessible points in the overflowed districts where assistance is required.

The Mississippi Forty Miles Wide.

MEMPHIS, April 28.—The river is now stationary at this point, with no land, except portions of the railroad track, to Madison, Arkansas, a distance of forty miles, which may be given as the width of the river. There is no change to report in the condition of the railroads. The Memphis & Louisville route is still water-bound between Paris and Clarksville, while the Mississippi Central is still broken between Canton and Grenada. Passengers came through to-day from Little Rock by transferring at washed places, but as a swift current crosses the track at several points it is uncertain how long communication can be kept up.

NEW ORLEANS, April 28.—The captain of the steamer Iberia, in a report to-day to Mr. T. Tupper, agent of the Attakapas Mail Transportation Company, says in coming between Bayou Teche to-day he took on sugar at Oaktown direct from the sugar house of Pargery on the bow of the boat. All the Fausse Point is under water from seven miles above New Iberia. The water at Grand Lake is only one hundred and fifty yards from flowing over the Teche from Atchafalaya to New Iberia. Families are pouring in from all quarters and settling on the highlands. Most of the large plantations are abandoned on the east side of the Teche, where 5,000 hogsheads of sugar would have been made. They now only hope to save seed. Portions of the towns of Franklin, New Iberia and St. Martinsville are under water. The water is running over the Morgans Railroad for a distance of about twenty-five miles from Brashear. The streets of the latter town are covered with water.

Three men were drowned on Monday while crossing at the Pearl river crossing of the Mobile & New Orleans Railroad. Superintendent Scranton, of this road, says it will take thirty days to repair the damage by the recent flood, and yet the road is in thorough order.

ARKANSAS.

The Gubernatorial Muddle.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., April 28.—A special to the *Gazette* from Helena says there was a very large meeting in that place on Monday night for the purpose of raising volunteers for Brooks. The meeting was composed principally of colored people. After the warriors made speeches Hon. J. T. White, colored, Commissioner of Public Works, and late State Senator, advised the colored men to stay home and let the Legislature settle the matter. The speech had the effect to prevent the enrollment of a single man.

Gov. Baxter last evening received information from the President that his requisition for aid to assist in suppressing the insurrection, made on the 19th, had never reached him. He forwarded the following, both by telegraph and by letter:

LITTLE ROCK, April 27.—To U. S. Grant, President of the United States: On the 19th of this month, as Governor of this State, I telegraphed you that there was an armed insurrection against the legal Government of this State, and made a requisition on you to suppress it and to prevent domestic violence. I have just now been advised that you never received that requisition. I now take occasion to say that an armed insurrection exists in this State against the lawfully constituted authority thereof, and as the Legislature cannot meet until the 11th day of May, I call upon you for aid to protect the State against domestic violence.

[Signed] ELISHA BAXTER,
Governor of Arkansas.

A company of Baxter men took possession of the Fort Smith train to-day, near Lewisburg, to prevent some reinforcements for Brooks from reaching the city.

Hon. Thomas Allan, President of the Cairo & Fulton railroad, and a number of other distinguished railroad men, called on Governor Baxter to-day.

Capt. Wm. F. Grooves, of the Brooks forces, left the State House this evening and came into the Baxter lines, stating that he had quit that party.

A telegram from Pine Bluff states that the Brooks men have advices from Washington that the General Government will no longer interfere. The Baxters are jubilant to-night. They claim that the Government has decided in their favor. A company of two hundred men is expected from Hempstead county to-night to reinforce Baxter.

WISCONSIN.

The New Railroad Law.

MILWAUKEE, April 28.—The new railroad law was published officially to-day, and by that publication goes into effect. The three Commissioners have not been appointed, and there is some doubt as to whether they will be before the Legislature meets next winter, as the point is raised that they could not legally assume their duties until confirmed by the Senate.

The Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Wisconsin Central Railroad Companies have adopted new tariff rates, but do not comply with the law. The companies will address a letter to the Governor, setting forth their reasons for refusing to obey the law, and embodying the opinion of eminent counsel that it is unconstitutional. With this they will leave the question to be decided by the courts.

AN APRIL STORM.

Lively Times Around Forepaugh's Menagerie.

Shivering Actors and Suffering Animals.

The Gentle Leopard Changes his Spots and Looks Blue.

The Rhinoceros Flouts the Crusade and Takes a Horn.

Weeping Monkeys in New Trousers.

The Polar Bear Gay and Happy.

The Other Animals Crying with the Cold.

How a Snow Storm Affects an "Aggregation."

The oldest as well as the inhabitant of tender years, were in beautiful accord, in pronouncing yesterday one of the most disagreeable days with which an April calendar was ever marked in Pittsburgh; but this combined sentiment of disgust at "Old Prob" for sending such a streak of weather, was ethereal mildness in comparison to the concentrated feeling of unhappiness which pervaded the breasts of the gentle creatures of the forest, the lakes, the ocean and the jungle, that unitedly form Adam Forepaugh's monster Aggregation.

The aggregation, it will be remembered,

WAS TO BLOSSOM OUT

on the lot, corner of Penn avenue and Thirty-first street, but the thousands who clutched their little shinplasters and wended their ways in that direction were sorely disappointed to find no canvass flapping in the breeze, and no show in operation. Now, that was no fault of the aggregation, either individually or collectively, for all arrangements *had* been duly made to give the people a chance to see the wonders of the unapproachable exhibition; but "the best laid plans o' mice and men aft gang agiee," and it was so in this instance. When the beautiful feathery flakes began to darken the air, and the gentle breezes began to howl mournfully, and the thermometer ran down rapidly, the animals in the menagerie started up an independent chorus of wailing, that attested the unpleasant features of the situation so far as they were concerned, and called the undivided attention of the keepers to them, thus effectually postponing the exhibition for that day.

The nature of the

TROUBLE IN THE MENAGERIE

may be better understood when it is remembered that the menagerie consists for the most part of animals, imported from foreign and warmer climes. They of course are not accustomed to such a condition of frigidity as that which was indicated by the thermometer yesterday; and indeed even in the regular weather of winter have to be guarded with the most attentive care. During the winter they are as carefully housed as a nursery plant, in houses where a summer heat is maintained, and hence when they come out in the spring they are liable to be chilled by any unusual atmospheric changes, and "a chill" to most of them is a death stroke. In this way hundreds of animals have been lost to showmen, and thousands of dollars swept away. It may thus be readily understood that there was activity as well as anxiety in the Forepaugh show yesterday morning, as the thermometer commenced to climb downwards.

The first thought with the manager of the aggregation as he drew on his overcoat, and fur gloves and fur tippet, was about the animals from the tropics, that were about that time making their own little Rome howl. The messengers were at once dispatched in all directions to secure the needed supplies to restore warmth to the suffering animals. First to arrive on the ground were

FOUR LOADS OF ARMY BLANKETS,

which were quickly put where they would do the most good. First, the elephants received attention, and were enveloped in the warm folds of the blankets, about an acre of the covering being used for this purpose. Then, to keep up a circulation and induce artificial heat, the docile creatures, who carry their trunks but no clothes, each tossed of a little "nip" of four gallons of Jamaica rum, richly sweetened, to make it doubly palatable.

The playful Leopards were next called upon, and it was found that they had, in a large measure, actually changed their spots, and blue was the prevailing color, both of body and spirits. They frisked around with delight as their beautiful mottled bodies were duly encased in the warm coverings.

Those who have often desired to know the exact "toughness" of a Rhinoceros hide, ought to have been present at this time when the timid animal, shook with the cold and made his cage tremble. A few blankets helped him considerably, and when he was further tempted with a "horn of whiskey," he—sad to relate—forsook his crusading principles, and actually "smiled."

The little lions were at a loss to understand the situation, and sought maternal sympathy and consolation, but the sedate parent was in trouble herself and could render no assitance to her dear little darlings until the man with the blankets put in an appearance and made the family hilariously happy.

THE UNHAPPY MONKEYS.

Then there were the facetious monkeys—they looked as though Othello's occupation was clean gone in the line of monkey humor. The radiant smile which usually illumines the monkey countenance in show time, was all gone and the pearly tears which made a race course of their cheeks, attested the depth of their feeling. The blankets could not be brought into requisition here but, necessity, the maternal parent of invention stepped up to arrange this matter, and the monkeys from the sedate grandsire to the infantile prodigy, were soon decked out in gay breeches of variegated hues and they too were joyful.

And so they went the rounds until the animals had received attention; the tapir and the tiger, the camels and the giraffe, the alpaccas and the orang-outang were all soothed into silence through the medium of clothing and a free supply of beverages that cheered, and mayhap did a little in the inebriating line, which served to give spice to the occasion.

When the most sensitive animals were cared for, the other inhabitants of the Aggregation received attention. Chief among these were the birds, which were taken into rooms hired in the neighborhood and heated for the purpose, and thus, after several hours of work, heat and harmony were in a measure restored.

While all this bustle was going on there was one pretty creature—

THE POLAR BEAR,

that heeded not the cries of companions—nay, was rather boisterously demonstrative in expressions of ecstatic delight. Some unfortunate novitiate, with feelings of the deepest sympathy, who approached his icebergian majesty with a blanket, avows he never will forget the withering scorn with which his advances were received. His Bearship was as full of bliss as a juvenile with his first new boots, and the more the storm raged, the more hilariously facetious he became. He was the silver lining to what others regarded as a black cloud of woe.

After the animals had thus been carefully provided for, preparations were made for their noonday repast, which when ready, was

SERVED UP SMOKING HOT,

and eaten with avidity. It was a sight—better even than the actual show—to see the creatures blanketed, and decked in all the colors of the rainbow, as they shoveled the provender down, and kept up a melodious chorus in attestation of their ecstacy, at the change in the order of things.

Disappointed by the untoward atmospheric influences from opening out yesterday, the management at once proposed to fill out the remainder of their programme. Their tents were removed to Birmingham and everything was pronounced in order last night for the show to-day. The feeling of the aggregation were consulted and the unanimous sentiment was, that rain or shine, the show must proceed to-day. So then the disappointed ones can embrace this opportunity by remembering the hours, and making use of the currency which did not find its way out of their pockets yesterday.

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MEETINGS.

☞ THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the "Merchants National Telegraph Company," will be held at the office of Waring Brothers, Bank Block, Fifth avenue, on TUESDAY, May 5th, 1874, at 4 o'clock P. M.
WILLIAM LYON, Secretary.
April 24, 1874. ap25-b3-TTHS

☞ CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at their office, No. 327 Penn street, on MONDAY, May 4th, at from 1 to 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.
D. E. BOULTON, Secretary. ap25-b4

HEADQUARTERS ALLEGHENY COUNTY REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, LINCOLN CLUB ROOMS, PITTSBURGH, April 22, 1874.

☞ A MEETING OF THIS COMMITTEE will be held at the Headquarters on

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1874,

At 2 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.
JACOB REESE, Chairman.
FRANK P. CASE, JAMES ONSLOW, R. B. BROWN, Secretaries. ap23-a95-TTHS-S

ELECTIONS.

☞ ELECTION NOTICE.

The Stockholders of the Little Saw Mill Run Rail Road Company will meet at the office of the Company in Thirty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh, on SATURDAY, MAY 16th, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a President and six Directors.
JOHN S. HOLLINGSHEAD, President. ap29-b20

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DISSOLUTION.—THE FIRM OF F. REPHAN & CO. was this day, July 22, 1873, dissolved by mutual consent, F. REPHAN retiring.
F. REPHAN, A. HARTUPEE, G. W. COFFIN.
The business of the firm will be settled by the remaining partners.
A. HARTUPEE, G. W. COFFIN. ap29:b28

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—WHEREAS, Letters Testamentary on the Estate of John Ross, deceased, late of the Twenty-first ward, city of Pittsburgh, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement, to
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Sealed proposals (in triplicate) will also be received at this office, and at the office of the U. S. Quartermaster at Newport Barracks, Kentucky, to be opened on the same day, and at the same hour, for the delivery at that station of Hard Wood, Pittsburgh Coal, Corn, Oats, Hay, and Straw, in such quantities as required from time to time during the fiscal year, ending June 30, 1875.

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THE contraction journals, at the East, are engaged in a frantic effort to mark up real estate, and credit it to the veto. Benevolent, but fraudulent.

THE House has passed the bill appropriating $90,000 for the benefit of the Louisiana sufferers. It will be expended under direction of the Secretary of War, in the purchase of provisions.

THE debate on the veto message came off yesterday. The contractionists wished to postpone it, but were not allowed to do so. Out of the present disturbance we are confident that some satisfactory measure will be developed.

NEW JERSEY elects this year a Governor, and a Legislature which will have the duty of electing a United States Senator. Hon. George A. Halsey will probably be the Republican candidate for Governor, and Hon. Nehemiah Perry the Democratic candidate. There is a long list of candidates for United States Senator, from the ranks of both parties.

FEW will lament over the defeat, in the Legislature, of the bill to enable Philadelphia to increase its debt. As we have heretofore explained, such laws, being general, under the requirement of the new Constitution, apply not merely to Philadelphia, but any other city. It is important that we make haste slowly in permitting cities to increase the amount of their debts.

THE Judicial salary bill has been recommitted, the clerkly error having been expunged from the record. We sincerely hope that our Senators will put forth an earnest effort to have the salaries of the Judges of this county raised to at least $6,000. The sum should be $7,000, but if the hard working, faithful Judges of our Courts are cut off with $5,000 salary, there will be a sharp looking after responsible parties. They received $6,000 under the old Constitution—can a good reason for reducing salaries be given?

THE new railroad law in Wisconsin, which went into effect yesterday, is represented by the companies interested to be so blightingly oppressive, that they must cease to operate their lines, if the law is enforced. It is thought that the railroads will pay no attention to the law, until its constitutionality has been tested in the Courts, a proceeding that will involve considerable delay. If the law is declared valid, they will suspend operations, thus at once paralyzing the trade of the Northwest. This business of discriminating against railroads is being carried too far, and may react severely on the States that enact oppressive legislation.

A CASE of appeal from the decision of the County Commissioners, acting as a Board of Revision of taxes, is likely to develop some very interesting points. One is, the allegation that the Commissioners have not taken and filed an oath, in their capacity as tax revisors. If this is sustained, it will tend to neutralize their proceedings, thus far. The affirmation in the particular case mentioned, that the party will take some $10,000 less for his property than it is assessed at, is of course clear and plain. The question is also to be raised whether the valuation shall be made on a cash or credit basis. Should the affair go to a jury, it will comprise a very interesting case, and will probably bring up the entire question of the legality of the particular methods of assessments resorted to, and may have the effect of procuring an interpretation of the law that will be authoritative, and, at the same time, in the interest of the farmers and people.

ARE we passing through the storm circle, in the sense that astronomers tell us we occasionally get into the range of falling stars? At any rate, several days past, including particularly Saturday and yesterday, were remarkable for their dreary storminess. A peculiarly penetrating rain fell in continuous showers, all day Saturday, while yesterday, and much of the night previous, rain, sleet and snow combined to make it unusually disagreeable. There are many conjectures as to the cause of this remarkable weather. The comparatively warm Winter, and the necessity for a yearly equilibrium of heat and cold, rain and dry, partially account for it. The overflow of the Mississippi has been credited as a moving cause of the present rains and consequent cold. Whatever may be the causes, there is an evident abundance of as disagreeable weather as we have had for many years. The greatest evil is the possible bad effect on the fruit trees, and the delay of Spring work among the farmers. The extremely wet condition of the earth may result in the rotting of seed that is or soon may be planted, and the crops may, and probably will, be affected by the weather we are now having. It requires something very similar to Turkish fatalism to be content under existing circumstances.

THE Chicago divines have managed to get into an interesting tangle over three celebrated persons,—two of ancient and one of modern times. Professor Swing, in the course of a sermon, some time since, intimated that Penelope and Socrates were likely to receive as kindly greeting at the gate of heaven as the Empress Catharine, of Russia. Dr. Patton forthwith had him arraigned for heresy, and now the ministers of other denominations are discussing the rights and wrongs of Dr. Swing's original utterance. As a mere matter of literary taste, the remarks referred to may be open to criticism; but that they are specially significant, from a theological standpoint, is questionable. Certainly they are not worth the pother they have occasioned. Yet they illustrate the average value of church quarrels. As a matter of history, Penelope, admitting her to be a historical personage, and Socrates certainly ranked, in a moral sense, quite as high as the Empress Catharine. Penelope was the wife of Ulysses, was marvellously endowed with virtues, was a chaste wife, a prudent mother, a skillful Regent, and faithful to her husband during twenty years of his absence. She ranks in history as the exemplar of all that is womanly and true. Socrates lived some five hundred years before the time of Christ, was a patriot, a soldier and scholar, a teacher of morality, a believer in immortality, and lost his life because of the advanced character of his religious faith. The Empress Catharine was bred a Lutheran, but abandoned her faith and became a member of the Greek Church when she married. After her husband became Emperor, she had him murdered, and, thereupon, plunged into the wildest excesses. She was an able ruler, an artful intriguist, and a brilliant woman of letters. But her reputation was that of a corrupt woman. To all who have carefully studied history the remark of Professor Swing will not seem historically extravagant, although of doubtful taste as a pulpit utterance. But what can an ecclesiastical investigation determine? Who can know as to the status of these parties in another world? What formula of faith does the utterance contravene? It seems to us one of those free expressions, not specially important, at most a matter of individual opinion, and susceptible of having given it a meretricious value through the sympathy excited by persecutions. Right or wrong, it need not specially disturb Christians of the present day.

THE prostration of iron-making industry, and the fact that no increased protective duties are asked by the iron-masters, is used as a text by a free trade journal, the Chicago *Tribune*, to build up an argument against the tariff, altogether. Why not at the same time argue against the development of the West and South. The panic, which precipitated the prostration now experienced, came, unmistakably, from this source. The Northern Pacific Railroad, despite all the abuse heaped upon it, is one of the grandest enterprises in the country, and it has a basis of probable success much superior to what the Union Pacific Railroad at any time had while it was in progress of construction. The failure of its principal agent, Jay Cooke, to sell its securities precipitated the disasters of the past Fall and Winter. Why not then charge the whole trouble in the country upon the efforts made to develop the West? So, the misfortunes of the Texas & Pacific railroad intensified the panic; yet it is confessedly one of the most hopeful enterprises of the kind in the country to-day. If built, as is proposed, at a cost of not more than $40,000 a mile, it will one day be one of the most valuable railroad properties in the country. To say that the iron masters did unwisely to respond to the stimulus of these well founded, hopeful enterprises, is to complain that they did not manifest more than mortal prescience. Were the Government to endorse the bonds of the Texas & Pacific Railroad, as is urged by the Western journals, and as it would be safe in doing, there would come to the iron trade of Pennsylvania, forthwith, $25,000,000 worth of business a year, and along with it an impetus to the general business of the country which would speedily restore its prosperity again. This is the whole case in a nutshell. Our iron masters did wisely in building and expanding their workshops and mills, and with returning prosperity these will be actively employed again.

NEW FINANCIAL VENTURES.

The first clamor over, it is seen that a very strong feeling prevails in Congress, and at the West and South, over currency questions. Those favoring an increase intimate a purpose, if the veto message is so wise, to give effect to the suggestions in favor of an increase of revenue, and propose to enact a law taxing incomes of $5,000 and upwards. The effect of this has been already to cause the contractionists to see that if the veto in its general features aided them, some of its suggestions can be made to strike at their prosperity. The belief is that the moneyed interests struggled against the Senate bill; therefore, it is proposed to make these interests, now they have their dance, pay the piper. The President's last annual message shows that he very recently entertained views identical with those who favor currency increase. In his veto message he said "the balance of trade had nothing to do with this question." In his annual message he declared, "that a specie basis cannot be reached and maintained until our exports, exclusive of gold pay for our imports, interest due abroad, and other specie obligations, or so nearly so as to leave an appreciable accumulation of the precious metals in the country from the products of our mines." Having so clearly stated that the balance of trade has something to do with this question, he proceeds to show how our exports may be increased. "To increase our exports, sufficient currency is required to keep all the industries of the country employed. Without this national as well as individual bankruptcy must ensue." "It is patent to the most casual observer that *much more* currency, or money, is required to transact the legitimate trade of the country during the Fall and winter months." He then proceeds to offer a plan:

I submit for your consideration whether this difficulty might not be overcome by authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to issue, at any time, *to national banks of issue*, any amount of their own notes below a fixed percentage of their issue, say forty per cent., upon the banks depositing with the Treasurer of the United States an amount of Government bonds *equal to the amount of notes demanded*, the banks to forfeit to the Government, say four per cent. of the interest accruing on the bonds so pledged during the time they remain with the Treasurer, as security *for the increased circulation*, the bonds so pledged to be redeemable by the banks *at their pleasure, either in whole or in part*, by returning their own bills for cancellation to an amount equal to the face of the bonds withdrawn. I would further suggest for your consideration the propriety of authorizing national banks to diminish their standing issue at pleasure, by returning for cancellation their own bills and withdrawing so many United States bonds as are pledged for the bills returned.

This plan, it is claimed, would have added $142,000,000 to the circulating medium of the country. This was the President's plan before he learned that the "balance of trade had nothing to do with this question." Hence it is proposed to put the other features of his message in force, and tax the incomes of those who favor contraction—the money lenders. Against all this Speaker Blaine has come forward with a plan good in some of its features, and objectionable in others. It is to issue national bank notes, and retire one dollar of greenbacks for every four dollars of other notes issued. Then fund the greenbacks into 4½ per cent. bonds, and this done, reissue them again for the purchase of five-twenty bonds. It is a roundabout, and expensive way of changing five-twenty bonds into four and one-half per cent. bonds,—compulsion being added to the expense. If Congress wishes to do this, the honest and manly, as well as straightforward way is, to stop interest on the five-twenty bonds, and redeem them in four and one-half per cent. bearing bonds, leaving the legal tenders as they now are. Of course such a manipulation, two or three times over of nearly $400,000,000 of legal tenders would benefit some one, and it would be the money dealer,—who, naturally, is a contractionist. Hence such a plan from a contractionist is both natural and proper; but it is dishonest, and tricky, and ought not to be entertained for a moment.

We hope a simple free banking law will now be passed. After seeing the nature of Senator Scott's tricky amendment, there should be no more plans accepted from contractionists. The idea that such persons will favor an increase of the currency is absurd. And free banking should be stripped of the reserve system, and rest upon the deposit of Government bonds. This done, and we are not careful what Congress shall do about restoring the income tax. On general principles we would oppose it, but it may not be unwise to let the contractionists have a full dose of the medicine they profess to love so well.

Mississippi River Levees.

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

I have read your editorial in your paper of to-day on the overflow of the bottom lands of the Mississippi. You say it should induce Congress to consider practical measures for the permanent restraining to its proper channel that remarkable river.

From more than thirty years' experience in the operations of that river, twenty of which I contributed more, or less, to the enterprise of preventing overflows by means of levees, according to the exigency of the rise of water, I am satisfied that, in the present condition of the country on that river, the character of the inhabitants, and the title of improved lands on it, Congress could make no more unwise appropriation of money than to attempt to levee that river.

First. If a levee was constructed of sufficient present magnitude to substantially [illegible] in the channel, from banks, it would not, without close personal attention, protect the country from overflow a single year. The population is not there in sufficient numbers and of sufficient interest and energy to render necessary care and attention to save a levee if constructed. The valuable improved lands are owned by the whites. The negroes will not assist in making the levees unless paid for it, nor will they guard them when made from incidental injuries, and the whites are not able to do such work themselves, nor are they in condition to pay for doing it.

Prior to the war, under the most efficient system of labor that capital ever controlled, in time of extreme high water the price of safety for the levee, was, as Jefferson said of liberty, "Eternal Vigilance." Night and day they required attention. The necessary population and labor, as before said, are not there.

Second. After forty years of experience and an outlay of many millions of dollars, I doubt if the country is in as good a condition as it was when the levee system was commenced. It is certainly as much inundated as it has been since 1828, or since the extreme water of 1844. The portions of Louisiana now chiefly damaged are where levees have recently been built, at the great expense of the State and individuals, and the cause assigned, is storms. In time of storms, formerly, the labor of the country was on the levees, the planters were prepared with gunny bags by the thousand, to be filled with earth, and dropped in in case a crevasse did occur, and before serious brakes were effected, they were checked No one does this now in like proportion.

Third. A continuous levee is an impossibility on a river, annually bringing down large deposits of a heavy character, that must lodge in the bottom and elevate it, if not allowed to raise the banks, by being thrown out by force of the current. This elevation in the bottom of the river, makes the necessity for giving the levees a proportionate increase in hight and base. The expectation of the friends of the present levee system was and is, that confine the water to the channel, and the bottom will wash out and deepen. This has proved to be utterly fallacious, and for more than twenty years I witnessed the necessity for annually increasing the levees, on those portions of the river, where levees were temporarily kept up.

Fourth. I regard the past and present system of reclaiming the great valley of the Mississippi by levees, except in a few fortunate localities, as a complete failure, and I obtained this conviction at an expense of many thousand dollars, and many anxious days and nights. That that valley will ultimately be reclaimed I feel confident, but it will not be done by a continuous levee. On the contrary, the bayous and other great outlets must be left open, especially those which conduct the water to the gulf. These sides must be leveed, and as many outlets as possible utilized to carry off the water, and when the population of the country is sufficiently multiplied so that you can count them by the hundred to the square mile, as in England and other countries in Europe and China, then by multiplied outlets, serving as natural canals and means of drainage, and the introduction of artificial draining machines to remove the water from depressed localities, that great valley will become the Egypt of this North American continent; not before.

The old system must be abandoned, for it has injured rather than benefited the country as a whole, and in the present condition of the country population, it is, in my opinion, impossible of improvements. Every dollar Congress appropriates will be wasted. One of the Senators from Mississippi, Chairman of the Committee on Levees, favors Congressional appropriation. He is conversant with the subject. I know him well, and the thirty millions he asks, under his management, mainly, would be of some local benefit, but the primary benefit would be to himself and others in like situations, therefore, it is urged to some extent. Again, many are honest and sincere in their views. I have heard many of their arguments, and have seen many of their favorite plans demonstrate their folly without changing their views.

I am the friend of that section, and would rejoice to see it as prosperous and happy as its beautiful climate, rich soil and valuable semi-tropical productions will some day in the future certainly make it; but for Congress to exercise questionable power in expending millions in building levees when there are miles and tens of miles without any competent and necessary attention to care for them, would be a waste of money; besides the present system of reclamation is fallacious and impracticable. SABINUS.

Pittsburgh, April 28, 1874.

PERSONAL.

THURLOW WEED says $250 is the average price of an Albany legislator's vote.

MR. RUBLEE, our Minister to Switzerland, is sick with a lung disease, in Geneva.

PRINCE LEOPOLD, Queen Victoria's youngest son, became of age on the 7th instant.

HORATIO N. SLATER, of Webster, Mass., gives Brown University $25,000 without conditions.

GEORGE SMITH, an English hangman, has just died at Oakham, Dudley. He has executed sixty criminals.

GENERAL BANKS voted for John G. Whittier thirty-three times during the recent Senatorial contest—that is, from first to last.

THE Baroness Meyer de Rothschild intends to establish at Ventnor, Isle of Wight, a Home for Consumptives, as a memorial of her late husband.

AMONG other relics destroyed in the London Pantechnichon is said to have been the shirt worn by King Charles I. on the occasion of his execution.

THE Governor of California offers a reward of $15,000 for the capture of Vasquez, the highwayman, but nobody seems willing to earn the reward.

NEVADA papers recall the time when Senator Stewart was a waiter in a restaurant there, and yet the Senator doesn't remember the idyllic circumstance.

BARON PORCARI was once seized by Sicilian brigands, and having been kept in a cave for eleven days, was released on the payment of 63,000 francs as a ransom.

MISS ALEXANDER, who lectured in Baltimore the other night on Mormonism, said that one old polygamist offered to marry her mother, her sister and herself.

ELDER E. C. FASSETT, who was a prominent Millerite thirty years ago, still lives on earth, and is now in Rhode Island revisiting the scenes of his preachings and predictions.

TENNYSON'S poem of welcome to the Russian Princess, the wife of the Duke of Edinburgh, is universally condemned in England as being quite unworthy of the distinguished author.

MRS. M. MILLER, wife of Dr. A. B. Miller, and principal of the female department of the Waynesburg College for almost a quarter of a century, died on Monday. The funeral services will take place at the College to-day.

REV. W. T. SABINE, Rector of the Church of Atonement in New York, announced on Sunday that he intended to resign from the ministry of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and then gave in his sermon the grounds for this action, and for his preference for the Reformed Episcopal Church recently founded by Bishop Cummings.

FOREIGN NOTES.

A PARISIAN tradesman, named Lasseur, who was recently sick, having swallowed a fork, has now picked up his health, and seems to have forgotten the trident in his stomach.

A SINGULAR event occurred at a town called Rugeley, in England, being the observance of Wednesday, March 22d, as a day of humiliation for the drunkenness of the place.

FROM latest official returns it appears that there are now twenty-seven vessels-of-war being built for the British Navy. The largest of these are the Inflexible, of 11,165 tons, and the Fury, of 10,950 tons. Both are turret ships of 8,000 horse-power, and are to be armed with only four guns of the largest size. Next to these are the Superb, of 9,400 tons, 8,000 horse-power and twelve guns, and the Temeraire, of 8,415 tons, 7,000 horse-power and eight guns. The others range from gunboats, of which there are seven, to several of about 4,000 tons. Many of these vessels are nearly ready for launching.

IT WOULD NOT be at all surprising if the penal colony of New Caledonia—the island in the Pacific which the French have selected for a penal settlement, and to which have been banished several thousands of the Communists—should become an important and valuable French colony. Many of the Communists have sent to France for the remaining members of their families, and that there is a tendency to emigrate to New Caledonia from many crowded manufacturing centres of France. The climate and soil are unexceptionable, and as there are no places to burn and no columns of Vendome to pull down, even the most turbulent Communist will have a life of harmlessness and peace.

THE French indemnity paid to Germany on account of the Franco-German war amounted, together with interest, to $1,068,879,797 in gold. With this sum Germany created a fund of $10,000,000 for invalid pensions, made compensation to the German shipping interest and to the Germans expelled from France by the war, established railways in the ceded provinces, built fortifications, made grants to meritorious generals and statesmen, dismantled French fortresses, paid for siege material, established fortifications on the coast, restored railways in France, constructed telegraph lines for the use of the army of occupation, paid for the expenses of civil administration in the occupied provinces, and restored about $8,000,000 to the Naval Ministry for war expenses. The sum total of these appropriations and expenditures, with the value of the ceded railways of Alsace-Lorraine, was over $432,000,000 in gold, and there remains $636,000,000 to be divided among the States of the German Empire. Of this amount the North German Confederation will get $381,000,000, Bavaria $64,800,000, and the other States from six to twenty millions of dollars each.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

AN oyster pungy was capsized off Thomas' Point, Md., on Tuesday, and all on board, four men, were drowned.

PROCEEDINGS have been taken to have Capron & Merriam, brokers of the late C. C. & I. C. pool, declared involuntary bankrupts.

IT is said that an ex-English officer who once outranked Sir Garnet Wolseley in his own regiment is now a reporter on a New York evening paper.

JAMES BURNS, who shot Isaac Henderson (colored) in New York a short time ago, pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree, and was sentenced to the State Prison for life.

A RURAL Vermont newspaper announces that its *minimum* charge for a first-class marriage notice will be 15 lbs. of dried apples. Notice with "poetry" costs 12 lbs. of onions more.

ARTHUR B. LEECH has accepted the conditions imposed by the New York Amateur Rifle Club, and agreed to bring over not less than twenty-four men to shoot in the match next fall.

THE heirs of the lamented President Lincoln pay taxes upon a quarter section of land in Crawford county, Iowa, in accordance with the land warrant issued to him for services rendered as captain in the Black Hawk war.

THE Spring Valley Mine, Butte county, Cal., recently shipped two gold bars valued at $40,000 to San Francisco. Five bars of this sort would furnish an admirable accompaniment for the golden notes of a favorite *prima donna.—World.*

CHARLES WAGNER and wife were arrested in Columbus, Ohio, on Monday, charged with an assault on the crusaders. They appeared before the Mayor and waived an examination. They were bound over to Court to answer the charge in the sum of one hundred dollars each.

IN the case of Michael M. Simpson against the Union Pacific Railway Co., Jay Gould, Sidney Dillon & Co., an order has been issued citing the defendant before the Supreme Court of New York to show why an injunction should not be issued restraining the Union Pacific Railway Company from disposing, in any way, of the securities executed under the indentures, known as the sinking fund mortgage. The argument will be heard to-day or to-morrow.

CREMATION.

Burning of a Revolutionary Patriot.

The story of the burning of the body of Henry Laurens, the Revolutionary patriot of South Carolina, is recalled by the current discussion on cremation. It is as follows: "The burning was in accordance with a request made in his will, coupled with a provision alienating his estate of £60,000 from his son unless the request was heeded. A letter written from Charleston at the time (January, 1793,) says that the reason that Mr. Laurens gave for this singular desire was that his body was too good to be eaten by worms. A foot-note, however, in Chadwick's 'Report on Intramural Interment' states that Henry Laurens, having an infant child die of small-pox, when the body was laid out, caused the window to be opened to admit a fresh current of air. The air blowing over the body restored the child to life, and in this manner it barely escaped being buried alive. So horror-stricken was Mr. Laurens at this event that he left orders in his will, as before stated, for his body to be burned. The funeral pile was erected on a beautiful spot on his plantation. The body, wrapped in 'twelve yards of tow-cloth,' was borne on the shoulders of four favorite slaves and laid upon the pyre, when incense and perfumes were thrown upon it. After the funeral services were held beside it, the flames were kindled, and, when the pile was burned, the ashes were collected and placed in a silver vase."

CREMATION POETRY.

This world is all a fleeting show;
How sweet from it to pass,
To vanish up the chimney as
Carbonic acid gas!

Don't lay me on the river bank
Amid the fragrant flowers,
Nor where the grass is watered by
The early summer showers.
But put me in the kitchen range,
And open wide the damper;
And then my vaporous remains
Can up the chimney scamper.

We lit the poor fellow at dead of night,
The carcass continually turning,
In order that every side might get its share
Of this new patent process of burning.

No pelting rain-storm came wetting the pile
Of faggots to which we had bound him,
No fire extinguisher deadened the glare
That formed such a halo around him.

Strategy of an Omaha Saloon Keeper.

An Omaha saloon keeper deserves to carry off the palm for strategy in dealing with the crusaders, or crusader, rather, as there was but one in this instance—a Miss Garrison, who has been making herself rather conspicuous in crusading alone. On this occasion she had taken possession of one Capt. Lee's saloon. Among the audience which gathered was the notorious Tennie C. Claflin, who happened to be in Omaha, soliciting subscriptions for her paper. The Captain saw his opportunity, and, knowing the penchant of Tennie for talk, he introduced her to the crusader. Immediately Miss Claflin wanted to know what Miss Garrison was going to do, to which the latter replied she was going to reform the den she was in. Miss Claflin retorted that she would be better engaged in reforming her fallen sisters in Omaha. This little spark kindled the conflagration. The two women went at it, give and take, and waxed hotter and hotter as they progressed. After about half an hour's hard sparring, Miss Claflin was evidently getting the best of it, and Miss Garrison thereupon struck up a hymn. Tennie, however, wasn't to be sung down. She kept at her work, and finally drove Miss Garrison away, but followed her up, and for aught we know they are still at it. Capt. Lee, however, is not harassed any longer by the crusaders.

Coal Marketed.

The total of anthracite coal marketed for the week ending on the 18th instant amounted to 449,134 tons, and for the coal year 4,345,779 tons against 4,622,629 tons to corresponding time last year, being a decrease of 276,850 tons. The bituminous tonnage for the week is 68,914 tons, and for the year 709,595 tons, against 704,842 tons to same time last year, giving a total of all kinds for the week of 518,048 tons, and for the year of 5,055,374 tons against 5,327,481 tons to same time last year, being a decrease of 272,107 tons. At Port Richmond for the week ending the 25th inst. the receipts of coal were 50,000 tons, the shipments 51,000, leaving 99,000 tons on hand. The tonnage the past week shows considerable increase. The demand continues moderately active by reason of low freight charges. Prices of coal will be increased ten cents per ton from the 1st of May. Wages will continue on the $2½ basis. The coal and coke tonnage of the Pennsylvania Railroad last week was 88,028 tons, and for the year 755,229 tons. Of anthracite and bituminous there were 714,560 tons and of coke 140,789 tons.—*Phila. Ledger.*

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PROPOSALS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received up to 12 o'clock, M., on SATURDAY, May 9, 1874, for the complete finishing of the new Episcopal Residence, corner Grant street and Virgin alley. The Committee retain the privilege to reject any or all bids. Proposals to be sent to the Secretary. Plans and specifications can be seen and examined at the Cathedral Office.

EUGENE J. SMYTH,
Cathedral Office, Pittsburgh.
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TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Board of Inspectors of the Western Penitentiary until Friday, May 1, inclusive, for the erection of a two-story brick building for a Work Shop. Plans and specifications can be examined at the office of the Prison, and bids may be made for all or separately for any portion of the work. The Inspectors reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

EDWARD S. WRIGHT,
Warden.
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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at office of Mechanical Engineer to May 4, 1874, at 7 o'clock P. M., for INFLUENT PIPES AND VALVES for foundation of new Water Works, to be delivered. Plans and specifications can be seen at office of

JOS. L. LOWRY,
Mechanical Engineer.
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SEALED PROPOSALS

Will be received until the 4th day of May inclusive, by the Board of Managers of the Allegheny County Workhouse for the Masonry and Brick work necessary in the erection of the main building of the Female Prison, and of the walls surrounding it.

Plans may be examined and other information received at the office of the Superintendent, at Claremont, to which place all bids shall be addressed.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids should they see proper to do so.

ap18:a48 BY ORDER OF THE BOARD.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, PA., April 23, 1874.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED proposals will be received at this office until 3 P. M., THURSDAY, April 30th, 1874, for supplying the Committee on Wharves and Landings of the City of Allegheny, with about

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The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES BROWN,
Controller.
ap23-a67

Notice to Bridge Contractors

Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the County Controller until SATURDAY, the 2d day of May, for the masonry and superstructure of a county bridge over Chartiers Creek, near the borough of Mansfield, and also for one over Flaugherty's run, near its mouth, in Crescent township. Plans and specifications will be found in the office of the County Engineer, on and after the 27th day of April, A. D. 1874.

J. B. STILLEY, County Engineer.
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PROPOSALS
FOR
Curbing and Paving

Proposals for Paving and Curbing of FORBES STREET, from Brady street to Shady Lane, will be received at the City Engineer's office, until MAY 8th, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Bidders will be explicit in specifications of pavements offered, giving reference where and how long laid.

Bids must be accompanied with approved bonds.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

THOMAS WIGHTMAN,
JOHN McDEVITT,
JAMES MURDOCH,
ALEX. CHAMBERS,
Commissioners.

J. W. ORTH, Secretary. ap24-a100

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS

Will be received at the Office of the City Clerk, up till the 8th day of May, at 12 o'clock, M., for the Grading and Masonry on

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C. L. MAGEE,
E. P. JONES,
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J. M. GAZZAM,
EVAN JONES,
Commissioners.

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To Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS

For the Grading, Masonry and Bridging of

Butler Street Extension,

From McMahon's Oil Refinery to Collins avenue, will be received at the City Engineer's office, from the FIRST DAY OF MAY TILL THE SEVENTH OF MAY, 1874, at 12 o'clock M.

Plans, specifications and all information given by the Engineer in charge during that time.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids, or any portion thereof.

Bids to be accompanied by bonds as required by the city.

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E. H. NEGLEY,
SAMUEL GARRISON,
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O[R]DINANCES.

[No. 29.]

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the Compensation of the Foremen of Hook and Ladder Companies.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, the compensation of the Foremen of the several Hook and Ladder Companies shall be and is hereby established at the same rate as now paid foremen of steamers.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance, or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 464, April 17, 1874. ap2

[No. 49.]

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing grade of Soho street, Wadsworth street and Emmett street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grades of Soho street Wadsworth street and Emmett street be and are established as follows: Beginning at south curb of Centre avenue at an elevation of 238.3 feet; thence rising 3.2 feet per 100 383.8 feet; thence falling 5.0 feet per 100 for 940.26 feet; thence rising 2.005 feet per 100 311.58 to center of Wadsworth street; thence falling 3.43 feet per 100 520.55 feet to south curb of Wyandotte street; thence falling 10.0 feet per 100 921.74 to north curb of Fifth avenue.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 13th day of April, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, volume 3, page 471, 20th day of April, A. D. 1874. ap27

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing grade of Sylvan avenue extension, from west curb of Hazelwood avenue to ——.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Sylvan avenue extension, from Hazelwood avenue to ——, shall be as follows, viz.: Commencing at west curb of Hazelwood avenue; thence rising 4.26 feet per 100 to a point distant 1,039 feet; thence rising 3.742 feet per 100 to a point distant 1,110.13 feet; thence falling 2.74 feet per 100 to a point distant 1,144 feet; thence falling 3.05 feet per 100 to a point distant 1,010.45 feet; thence falling 4.662 feet per 100 to a point distant 954 feet; thence falling 7.591 feet per 100 to a point distant 266.5 feet; thence falling 6.96 feet per 100 to a point distant 365.56 feet.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 4, page 70, 18th day of April, A. D. 1874. ap27

[No. 56.]

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the opening of Thirty-fourth street, from Butler street to Allegheny Valley Railroad.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open Thirty-fourth street, from Butler street to Allegheny Valley Railroad, in accordance with an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance re-locating Thirty-fourth street," passed February 9th, 1874, and the plan attached thereto, to a width of 40 feet, the damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an act of Assembly entitled "An act concerning streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance, or part of Ordinance conflicting with the passage of this Ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 13th day of April, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 473, April 21, 1874. ap27

[No. 32.]

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the construction of a sewer on Yards alley, from Pius street to Josephine street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of a 20 inch pipe sewer on Yards alley, from Pius street to Josephine street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an act concerning Streets, approved Jan. 6, 1864, and the several supplements thereto, and ordinances of Councils relative to the same, the cost and expense of the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an act of Assembly entitled "An act concerning streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved January 6, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 465, April 17, 1874. ap27

[No. 40.]

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the exchange of registered bonds for coupon bonds.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue registered bonds in exchange for any coupon bond or bonds issued by the city of Pittsburgh, in accordance with the following provisions of an act of Assembly entitled an act to authorize the registry or transfer of certain bonds, approved May 1, A. D. 1873: "Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That bonds issued, or which may be issued, by the State of Pennsylvania, or by any county, city, municipal authority or corporation therein, payable to bearer, may, at the option and at the expense of the holder thereof, be returned and new registered bonds of the same or of a larger denomination, to the aggregate amount thereof, be issued, payable at the same time and place as the bonds so retired, to the order of the holder of said registered bonds and transferable only by assignment executed before and attested under the hand and seal of some officer authorized by law to take the acknowledgments of deeds, which transfer shall only become operative against the corporations aforesaid, when noted on the transfer book of the party or corporation issuing the same, and which book of transfer all parties or corporations issuing such bonds are hereby required to keep, and for the interest due or to become due on the bonds so retired it shall be lawful for the corporations aforesaid to issue certificates, at the same rate of interest, due at the same time and place as the original coupons, corresponding with the denominations of the registered bonds, and payable to the order of the holder of said registered bonds."

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
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ORDINANCES.

[No. 28.]

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the completion of the new Water Works.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the erection and construction of the new Water Works of the City of Pittsburgh, shall hereafter be in charge of the Water Committee.

SEC. 2. Said Committee shall, as soon as practicable after their appointment, meet and organize, by the election of one of their number as Chairman, and shall, as soon as possible after their organization, examine the work to be done, and report to Councils the number and character of the officers and assistants required for the proper prosecution of the work, including an officer to be called General Manager, and the amount of salaries to be paid to each; and upon approval of said report by Councils, said Committee shall be authorized to employ such officers and assistants, at salaries not exceeding the amounts specified by Councils, and no officers or assistants shall be employed by said Committee, unless the approval of Councils shall be given thereto.

SEC. 3. Said General Manager shall have, subject to the authority and direction of the Committee, the general supervision and control of the erection and extension of said new Water Works, and of all the other officers and assistants employed thereon, and shall report to said Committee at such times as shall be fixed by it, and shall perform such other duties as shall be required of him by the Committee.

SEC. 4. All officers and assistants employed by said Committee shall give bonds, with security to be approved by said Committee, in such amounts as said Committee may determine, and shall be sworn to faithfully and honestly discharge the duties of their appointment. They shall be subject to removal by said Committee, who shall be authorized to make rules and regulations to the duties and government of all persons so employed by them.

SEC. 5. Said Committee shall have charge and supervision of the erection and construction of the Water Works, in accordance with the general plan adopted by Councils on the 10th day of July, 1871, subject to such modifications as have heretofore been, or may hereafter be adopted by Councils.

SEC. 6. Said Committee shall be authorized to select such additional sites for water works, engine-houses, basins, reservoirs, conduits, and pipes, as to them may seem necessary, and to negotiate with the owners of any of said property for the purchase or use of the same, subject to the approval of Councils. Whenever said Committee shall negotiate a contract for the purchase or use of any land for the purpose of said Water Works, they shall report the same to Councils, and if approved by them, said Committee shall perfect the same in the name and on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh.

SEC. 7. If, in any case, said Committee shall be unable to agree with the owner of any property which they may desire to purchase or use for said Water Works, they shall report to Councils a description of the property which they desire to take, and the purpose for which the same is to be used, whereupon the Councils may, if they deem proper, order the same to be taken and condemned, under the provisions of "An Act to provide for the extension of the Water Works of the City of Pittsburgh," approved the 15th day of March, A. D. 1871.

SEC. 8. Said Committee shall cause to be prepared such additional detailed plans for the erection and construction of buildings, basins, reservoirs, conduits, machinery, and all other things necessary for the complete construction and operation of said Water Works in accordance with the general plan aforesaid, and make and enter into contracts for the work and materials therefor, including all pipes to be laid in extension of the present works, in accordance with said plan, but not including repairs to the works as they now exist; *Provided*, That all contracts shall be made with the lowest and best bidder, upon sealed proposals in writing, after advertisement in papers authorized to do the city printing and such other papers as said Committee shall think advisable, for at least ten days before the time fixed for receiving the same, and all contracts for work or materials shall be upon terms of payment in cash; *Provided further*, That no contract shall be signed, or executed, or binding, until the same shall have been duly approved by Councils.

SEC. 9. No officer, assistant or employe shall be directly or indirectly interested in any contract for lands, work or materials for said Water Works. And in all contracts it shall be expressly stipulated that if any of the said parties shall be so interested, the same shall be null and void, and that no suit or suits shall be maintained against the city of Pittsburgh for, or on account of, anything which may be done under or in pursuance thereof, and that if any money shall be paid by said city on account thereof, the same may be recovered from the party receiving the same in an action or actions in the name of said city.

SEC. 10. All contracts shall be made in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be signed by said Committee, or a majority of them, on behalf of the city, and when necessary, the Mayor of the city shall attach the corporate seal of the city thereto.

SEC. 11. All pay rolls shall be verified by affidavit of the person under whose charge the work was done, and certified to as correct by the proper officer, before the same shall be approved by the Committee.

SEC. 12. Said Committee shall certify to the Controller, in writing, all claims approved and allowed by them, who shall certify warrants for the amount thereof, payable from the Water Extension Fund, if there is at the time sufficient money to said fund undisposed of, which warrant, when signed by the Mayor, shall be paid by the City Treasurer from the money in said fund: *Provided*, that the Controller shall not certify a warrant in payment of any claim, unless the same is accompanied by an affidavit of said claimant that the amount thereof is justly due, and that no officer, or other employe is directly or indirectly interested therein.

SEC. 13. Said Committee shall keep, or cause to be kept, full and perfect minutes of all their proceedings, and all other books and accounts necessary to a full understanding of the business transacted by them, which shall at all times during business hours, be kept open for the inspection of the City Controller, Finance Committee of Councils, and any other committee duly appointed by Councils for that purpose, and they shall make to Councils a detailed quarterly report of all their proceedings and expenditures, together with all other matters necessary for a full understanding of the business transacted by them.

SEC. 14. The acts of a majority of said Committee shall avail as the acts of all.

SEC. 15. That an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance conferring upon the Water Committee the powers and requiring the performance by them of the duties of the Water Commission," ordained 29th day of December, A. D. 1873, and an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the erection of a new Water Works," ordained the — day of —, A. D. —, and all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance, are hereby repealed; *Provided, however*, That such repeal shall not effect any contracts heretofore entered into under or by virtue of said Ordinance.

SEC. 16. That the Committee shall report at least monthly the progress of the work.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest—E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest—GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 4, page 67, March 17, A. D. 1874. ap27

[No. 44.]

AN ORDINANCE—Re-locating and Straightening Brownsville Avenue and Washington Avenue from Carson Street to Beltzhoover Street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That Brownsville avenue and Washington avenue be and the same are hereby located at a uniform width of fifty (50) feet from Carson street to Beltzhoover street, as follows: Commencing at south curb of Carson street; deflecting left 16° 38', distant 185.43 feet to angle; deflecting left 12° 36', distant 683.8 feet to angle; deflecting right 2° 37', distant 152.87 feet to angle; deflecting left 18° 47', distant 110.26 feet to angle; deflecting left 13°, distant 172.60 feet to angle; deflecting right 13° 15', distant 153.5 feet to angle; deflecting right 5°, distant 183 feet to angle; deflecting left 3° 45', distant 152 feet to angle; deflecting left 23° 48', distant 365.5 feet to angle; deflecting right 16° 20', distant 224 feet to angle; deflecting right 30° 20', distant 198.5 feet to angle; deflecting left 18° 22', distant 107.5 feet to angle; deflecting left 26° 30', distant 87.5 feet to angle; deflecting left 29° 6', distant 181 feet to angle; deflecting right 46° 27', distant 242 feet to angle; deflecting right 6° 2', distant 430 feet to angle; deflecting right 23° 16', distant 202 feet to angle; deflecting left 46° 3', distant 199 feet to angle; deflecting left 29° 18', distant 121.11 feet to point of curve; thence by 30° 12' curve right 440 feet to point tangent; thence on same lines 122 feet to angle; deflecting right 22°, distant 132 feet to angle; deflecting right 1° 34', distant 531 feet to angle; deflecting left 4° 58', distant 2[illegible]3.5 feet to angle; deflecting left 8° 37', distant 349 feet to angle at intersection of Washington and Brownsville avenues; deflecting right 41° 42', distant 979.04 feet to angle; deflecting left 4° 18', distant 397.42 to Beltzhoover avenue.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into law in Councils, this thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 4, page 70, April 20, 1874. ap27

[No. 45.]

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Brownsville and Washington Avenues.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Brownsville and Washington avenues be and the same is hereby established, as follows: Commencing at the south curb of Carson street, thence rising at rate of 6.73 feet per 100 to point distant 178.28 feet; rising 99 feet per 100 to point distant 1,631.73 feet; rising 5.22 feet per 100 to point distant 1,197 feet; rising 7.48 feet per 100 to point distant 768.05 feet; rising 3.8 feet per 100 to point distant 863.11 feet; rising 5.97 feet per 100 to point distant 1,439.5 feet to intersection of Washington and Brownsville avenues; thence rising 2.61 feet per 100 to point distant 191.2 feet; falling 1.32 feet per 100 to point distant 512.2 feet; falling 1.11 feet per 100 to point distant 304.95 feet; falling 4.56 feet per 100 to point distant 372.48 feet, to Beltzhoover avenue.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 4, page 71, 25th day of April, A. D. 1874. ap24

[No. 43.]

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing Grade of Bedford avenue from the east curb of Erin street to the west curb of Thirty-third street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of said Bedford avenue from Erin to Thirty-third street, shall be as follows, viz.: Commencing at the east curb of Erin street, thence falling (1 ft.) one foot per (100) hundred a distance 577.13 ft. to west curb of Perry street; thence rising 2.947 ft. per 100 to east curb of Kirkpatrick street; thence rising 8.23 ft. per 100 to west curb of Somers street; thence rising 5.043 ft. per 100 to east curb of Chauncey street; thence falling 1.398 ft. per 100 to west curb of Jones street; thence rising 1.88 ft. per 100 to a point 440 feet distant; thence falling 6.60 ft. per 100 to east curb Francis street; thence falling 1.23 ft. per 100 to west curb Morgan street; thence falling 8.00 ft. per 100 to a point 552.25 ft.; thence falling 8.42 ft. per 100 to west curb of Thirty-third street.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 6th day of April, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 469, 18th day of April, A. D. 1874. ap27

[No. 47.]

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Locust street, from Shingiss street to Van Braam street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Locust street, from Shingiss street to Van Braam street, be and is hereby established as follows: Beginning at the east curb of Shingiss street; thence at a rise of 9.0 feet per 100 feet to west curb of Cooper street; thence east curb of same; thence at a rise of 1.0 foot per 100 feet; thence at a rise of 9.0 feet per 100 feet to west curb of Chestnut street; thence level to east curb of same; thence at a fall of 5.28 feet per 100 feet to west curb of Magee street; thence level to east curb of same; thence at a fall of 2.62 feet per 100 feet to west curb of Stevenson street; thence to east curb of same at a fall of 0.85 feet per 100 feet; thence at a fall of 2.82 feet per 100 feet to west curb of Pride street; thence level to east curb of same; thence at a rise of 2.74 feet per 100 feet to west curb of Marion street; thence level to the east curb of same; thence at a rise of 1.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 310.5 feet; thence at a fall of 1.0 foot per 100 feet to west curb of Van Braam street.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 13th day of April, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol 3, page 470, April 18, 1874. ap27

[No. 31.]

AN ORDINANCE—Granting the Pittsburgh, Oakland & East Liberty Passenger Railway Company the right to lay their tracks on Denniston, Penn and Hiland avenues.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the consent of Councils is hereby given to the Pittsburgh, Oakland & East Liberty Passenger Railway Company to enter upon, lay out, construct and extend their railway with a single track, with the necessary temporary switches, on the following avenues in said city, to wit: On Denniston avenue from Fifth avenue to Penn avenue; Penn avenue from Denniston avenue to Hiland avenue, and on Hiland avenue from Penn avenue to Fifth avenue, with the privilege of traversing said avenues with their cars and horses—subject, however, to all the conditions, restrictions and limitations contained in the act of incorporation of said company and the several supplements thereto, and also subject to such ordinances as Councils have heretofore or may hereafter, from time to time, enact.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 465, April 17, 1874. ap27

FINANCIAL.

FRANKLIN SAVINGS FUND
And Safe Deposit Co.,
Corner 7th Avenue and Smithfield Street.
Incorporated by Legislature of Pennsylvania.

CAPITAL, - - - $250,000.

Interest allowed on Deposits. Short Loans on Valuable Property, Real or Personal. Discounts daily.
Open daily from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M.

JOSEPH M. GAZZAM, President.
SAM'L A. LONG, Vice President and Business Manager.

DIRECTORS.
J. M. Gazzam, And. J. Lee,
J. P. Smith, Geo. M. Reed,
Samuel A. Long, Frank Kohne,
A. J. Douthett.
JOHN G. MACCONNELL, Solicitor.

SHOE AND LEATHER BANK,
14 Smithfield Street,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
CAPITAL, - - $200,000.
GEO. H. ANDERSON, President.
JOHN D. FRASER, Cashier.
Deposits received and 6 Per Cent. Interest allowed on Time Deposits. Particular attention given to Collections and proceeds promptly remitted.

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK.
Cor. Wood Street and Sixth Avenue.
CAPITAL, - - - - - - $250,000
SURPLUS, - - - - - - 127,000
Interest allowed on time deposits.
Exchange on Germany, France, England and Switzerland at lowest rates. Collections made promptly on all parts of the United States and Canadas. Particular attention given to all business of correspondents.
DIRECTORS.—A. Groetzinger, J. F. Havekotte, W. F. Lang, J. C. Dickson, E. H. Meyers, Joseph Lang, Paul Hugus, Christ. Siebert, P. Haberman.
A. GROETZINGER, President.
JOSEPH LAURANT, Cashier.

International Bank,
Corner Liberty and Market Sts.
CAPITAL, $200,000.
Pays Interest on Deposits.
5 Per Cent. per annum upon daily balances—from inactive non-borrowing accounts—payable on demand.
6 Per Cent. per annum on special deposits for 60 days and upwards.
Special agreements relating to interest made.
Notes and Bills Purchased.
W. H. MECHLING, President,
WM. NEEB, Vice President.
F. E. MOORE, Cashier.
DIRECTORS.
John Watt, W. H. Mechling,
Wm. Neeb, M. A. Sanner,
Joseph Wagener, Joseph Graff,
C. H. Love, J. C. Anderson,
W. McKee, C. Schleiper,
James Irvin.

DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.
Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, April 29, 1874.

The very disagreeable storm which raged yesterday, during the entire period of business, had the effect of almost entirely preventing any business transactions. A small amount of paper was offered and accepted, but aside from the small bank offerings, business in commercial paper was at a standstill. Local stocks are entirely devoid of special feature, and real estate represents the only live business in the brokerage line, and even this is only spasmodically active. Our higher grades of iron manufacture are in fair activity, with an average supply of orders.

In New York there was a fair amount of activity in the stock market, despite the storminess of the day. Gold was quite active, but with only a small margin of change. A more hopeful condition exists, and the future is thought to have elements of promise, as to price and business.

The foreign market presents some changes. France is steadily but quietly accumulating bullion with a view to as safe and early a resumption as possible, and the high rates prevailing in the East will doubtless keep money about where it is for some time to come. The English bullion exports and imports last quarter were considerably affected by the famine in Bengal. The trade and navigation return, just published, gives an increase of £1,330,000 in silver imports, about £860,000 of which came from Germany, as against only £640 in the same quarter of 1873. On the other hand, silver exports increased by considerably more than a million, owing to India absorbing £2,995,000, against £590,000 in the corresponding quarter of last year. The return of gold exports shows the sources from which England procured sufficient silver to meet these demands. France took £447,000 more gold, Holland £426,000, and Mexico, South America, and the West Indies £1,620,000. On the other hand, the German demand fell off by close on two millions sterling. This sudden cessation is probably explained by the transfer of demonetized silver coinage from Germany to France, whence it went to England in exchange for gold.

The following stocks were sold last evening by A. McIlwaine, auctioneer, at his Stock Sales Rooms, 106 Smithfield street:

Monongahela Water Company.........	$ 33 00
" " "	33 50
" " "	33 75
" " "	40 25
Third National Bank.........	138 00
Western Insurance Company.........	60 50

Luther S. Kauffman, Broker, No. 96 Fourth Avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Opened.	Closed.
Gold	113⅛	113
U. S. Sixes—1881—coupons	121½	121⅝
5-20 1862	118⅝	118⅝
5-20—1864.	120⅝	120⅝
" 1865	121⅛	121⅝
" 1865 new.	119⅝	120
" 1867.	120⅜	120⅝
" 1868—coupons.	120	120⅝
10-40's	114¾	115⅛
Currency 6's	116	116⅛
New 5 per cents	115¾	115¾
10-40's—coupons	115	115½
RAILWAYS.		
New York Central	98⅜	98⅜
Erie	36⅝	36⅝
Atlantic and Pacific	14⅛	14⅛
I. C.	103	103⅝
B. H & E.	1⅛	1⅛
C. C. & I. C.	22⅝	22⅝
St. Paul	38	37⅝
Michigan Southern	77	77⅛
Do. Central	77	78⅛
North Western Common	47⅛	46⅝
Do. Preferred	65⅝	66⅜
Rock Island	99⅝	99⅜
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	87⅛	87⅛
Pacific Mail	44	45⅝
Western Union Telegraph	72⅜	74⅝
Ohio & Mississippi	27⅛	27⅛
Union Pacific	34⅝	34⅛
Toledo & Wabash	42⅝	42⅛
Harlem	126	126⅝
Chicago and Alton	102	102⅛
Adams Express	96	97⅛
American Express	61⅛	62
U. S. Express	66⅜	64⅛
W., Fargo & Co. Express	75⅜	75⅜
Quicksilver	23⅛	23
Canton	85	
Terre Haute	10	10
Panama	107⅛	108
Fort Wayne	93	94
Merchants Union Express	5	5
Hannibal and St. Joseph.	28⅛	29
Do. preferred	34	34

Messrs. Robinson Bros., bankers, No. 75 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board today:

	Bid.	Asked.
Penna. Central	51⅛	
" " scrip	29	
Reading	56⅜	
United Cos. of N. J.	121½	122
Oil Creek	10⅛	
Lehigh Valley	60⅜	60⅜
A. V. R. R 7-30	92⅛	93
Central Transportation	43½	44
Empire do.	53	54⅛

NEW YORK, April 28, 1874.

Money was easy at 3@4 on call; prime business paper 6@7. Sterling was weaker, and actual business at 487 for sixty days and 490 for sight. The total exports of produce for the week were $7,295,229, an increase over last week of $2,985,976. The customs receipts were $298,000. Gold closed at 113, the lowest point of the day. The highest price was 113⅜. The carrying rates were 2 to 4, and finally 2. Loans were also made flat. The Assistant Treasurer disbursed $278,000. The clearings were $71,000,000. Governments closed strong at the best prices made. State bonds were quiet and nominal. Railroad bonds were strong. Stocks opened strong and advanced at and after the first board from ⅛ to 2¼ per cent. The features were Western Union, Pacific Mail, New York Central, Northwest Common, Lake Shore, Union Pacific and St. Paul. During the closing hours of business the market suffered a slight relapse from the extreme buoyancy and activity of the earlier hours of the day, but closed steady, with a fractional recovery in some cases. New York Central and Pacific Mail were exceptionally strong at the final close. The sales between 10 and 2 o'clock were 222,000 shares, of which 76,000 were Western Union, 49,000 Union Pacific, 7,000 Wabash, 25,000 Pacific Mail, 7,000 New York Central, 7,000 St. Paul, 31,000 Lake Shore, and 8,500 Northwest Common.

Governments.—U. S. coupons of 1881, 121⅝; 5-20s of '62, 118⅝; do. of '64, 120⅝; do. of '65, 121⅝; do. new, 120; do of '67, 120⅝; do '68, 120⅝; new 5s, 117; 10-40s, 114⅝; currency 6s, 116⅛.

State Bonds.—Missouri 94¼; Tennessee, old, 84½; do new, 84; Virginia, new, 30; do old, 35; North Carolina old, 24; do new, 21.

Stocks.—Canton, 69; Western Union Telegraph Co., 74⅝; Quicksilver, 23; Adams Express, 97⅛; Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, 75½; American Express, 62; United States Express, 65¼; Pacific Mail, 45⅝; New York Central, 98⅜; Erie, 36⅝; do preferred, 58; Harlem, 126⅝; do preferred, 128; Michigan Central, 78⅛; Pittsburgh, 122; Northwestern common, 46⅝; do pref'd, 66; Chicago, 87⅛; Rock Island, 100⅛; New Jersey Central, 106; St. Paul, 37⅝; do preferred, 58; Toledo & Wabash, 42⅛; do preferred, 71; Fort Wayne, 93; Terre Haute, 10; do preferred, 20; Chicago & Alton, 102; do. preferred, 103; Ohio & Mississippi, 27⅛; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 73; Burlington & Quincy, 102; Lake Shore, 77⅛; Indiana Central, 100⅛; Union Pacific, 34⅛; Central Pacific, 91½; Union, 86½; Hartford & Erie, 1⅛; Delaware & Lackawanna, 106⅛.

LONDON, April 28—5 P. M.—The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day was £103,000. The rate for money at the Stock Exchange on Government securities is 4⅛ per cent. Consols, 92⅝@92¾; 5-20's of '65, 106⅛; do. of '67, 108; 10-40's, 104⅛; new 5's, 104; New York Central, 88; Erie, 3½@33⅝; do. preferred, 53⅛.
PARIS, April 28.—Rentes, 59f 70c.
FRANKFORT, April 28.—5-20's of '62, 98⅛.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

S. B. Co o	14	Lewis O & P p	2
Isabella Furnace o	5	Nimick & Co m	1
Wilson & Co p	5	J Moorhead m	3
J Moorhead o	3	W Clark & Co o	2
Lewis O & P p	2		
Total			37

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

McKnight D and Co m	1	Lewis O & P m	5
Total			6

PENNA CENTRAL.

S Moorhead m	2	A Garrison & Co m	1
Total			3

PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. LESSEE.

Nimick & Co m	9	J Reamer m	4
Reese G & W o	3	Caughey & H m	4
J Burns m	1	Lewis O & P m	3
Zug & Co m	3		
Total			27

COMMERCIAL.
Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.
PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, April 28, 1874.

Out door business, which at best has been slow recently, was considerably curtailed today by the inclemency of the weather—as the country roads are almost impassable again, we need not look for an immediate improvement. What is most desired just now is fine weather; this, together with a settlement of the currency question, would doubtless do more toward causing a revival in trade than anything else.

APPLES—Are coming in more freely, but with a steady demand prices are fully sustained and there is no accumulation of stock: sales in a regular way at $4 to $5 ₱ brl, according to quality.

APPLE BUTTER—70@80 cts per gal.

BEANS—Selling in job lots at $2@2,25 ₱ bush, as to quality.

BUTTER—Is still coming in freely, and the market is still quoted weak, although prices have undergone no quotable change within the past 48 hours: prime to choice roll, 30@33, and there is not much call for any other kind.

COUNTRY BACON—Country Shoulders, 7½@8; Clear Sides, 9½@9¾c; Hams, 9½@10c. Country Lard, 9@9½c.

CRANBERRIES—Quotable at from $15@18 ₱ brl, as to quality and condition.

CHEESE—Sales, in job lots, at 12@13 for new Ohio Dairy, 16@17 for new Ohio Factory, and 18½@19 for prime old New York.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples, 9 to 10c: sliced, 12 to 13. Peaches, 10@12 for quarters and mixed, and 14@15 for halves.

EGGS—Continue to come in freely, but with a steady demand, there is no accumulation, and prices are fully sustained; we continue to quote at 18@19.

FLOUR—Spring wheat flours are firmer and some dealers are asking an advance, but as yet it is not general; we continue former quotations: winter wheat flours are firmer but unchanged. Spring wheat flour $6.75 to 7.25; red winter wheat $7.75 to 8.25; white $9 to 10. Rye Flour $5.50 to 5.75.

GROCERIES—Trade is scarcely as good as it was ten days ago, which may be attributed mainly to the inclement weather and wretched condition of the country roads; country merchants who are located in the interior, and are not accessible by rail or river, could not move goods now if they were to get them for nothing: consequently, country orders are coming in sparingly. Coffee continues quiet. Sugars steady, and, as will be seen, we advance our quotations for Molasses.

P. S.—Coffee—The Rio telegram received last night is unfavorable to holders, and will cause a decline in coffee. The amount purchased, cleared and loading for the United States is 76,250 bags; price nominal, and 240,000 bags in stock at Rio.

COFFEE—Choice Rio, 30; prime, 29; good, 28, fair, 27½. Roasted, 29 for 1 pound packages; loose, ¾c less.

MOLASSES—Strictly prime new crop New Orleans, 85c; good to prime, 75@80.

RICE—Choice Carolina, 9½; Patna, 8¼c; Rangoon, 8@8¼c.

SUGARS—Patent Cut Loaf, 12¾; Crushed, Powdered and Granulated, 11¾c; Standard A, 10¾; B, 10; Ex. C, 9¾; Circle C, 9¾; Franklin Extra C, 9¾; Franklin No. 2 Extra C, 9; American Extra C, 8¾; Yellow Sugars, 8 to 9, as to quality.

SYRUPS—Extra White Drips, 70c; Sugar Drips, 60c; Amber, 60@65; lower grades, 35@40, as to quality.

GRAIN—The arrivals of all kinds of grain continue meagre, and with an average demand and reduced stocks, prices are still tending upward. Winter Wheat, of which our market is almost bare, is quotable at $1.60@1.65 for red, and $1.70@1.75 for white. Millers complain that Wheat is too high taking the price of flour as a basis, and while this, we believe, is true, it is also true, that prices are low enough when the cost at the source of supply is taken into consideration. The Oat market is firm and the supply is light, scarcely equal to the demand, yet prices remain as last quoted, 58@60: some dealers are holding prime white at 62, but we have heard of no sales above 60. Corn is in light supply and there is considerable inquiry for shelled and prices are tending higher; may be quoted at 83@85: sales 5 cars to arrive, at 83. Ear is selling at 80@82. Rye is quiet and unchanged at $1.05@1.07. There is little or nothing doing in Barley.

HAY—There is a very fair demand for baled especially for strictly prime, and prices are looking up; may now be quoted at from $20@24 ₱ ton.

HOMINY—$5@5.50 ₱ brl.

POULTRY—In light supply, but there is not much inquiry nor is it to be expected at this particular time. Dressed Chickens quotable at 13@14c per lb. live, 75 to 85c per pair.

PROVISIONS—Hams—Extra Sugar Cured, 13½ ₱ lb: canvassed, 13¾; Shoulders—Extra Sugar Cured, 9¾; canvassed, 9¾; Breakfast Bacon—Sugar Cured, 12; canvassed, 12½; Dried Beef—Extra Sugar Cured, 16½; canvassed, 17. Beef Tongues—Sugar Cured, $7.00 ₱ dozen. Bacon—Shoulders, 8½c ₱ lb: Sides, 10; Short Rib Sides, 10½; Clear Rib Sides, 11. Mess Pork, ₱ brl, $18.50. Lard—Prime Leaf, in tierces, 11 ₱ lb. Refined summer use in tierces, 11¾; half brls, 11¾; buckets, 12½; 3 lb caddies, 13¾; 5 lb do. 13½; in 3 lb pails, 14¾; in 5 lb do, 14½; in 6 lb do, 14. Ham Sausage, 10.

POTATOES—In steady demand but prices remain unchanged: $1.15@1.25 ₱ bushel on track and $1.30@1.35 out of store. Early Rose, $3.75@4 ₱ barrel.

RAGS—Good mixed 3 cts.

SEEDS—Clover Seed is still quotable at $6.75@7 ₱ bushel; Timothy, $3@3.25; Flax Seed $2.25@2.30.

TALLOW—There is a steady demand, and we can report regular sales at 6¾@7 ₱ lb.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, April 28, 1874.

The Crude market was very quiet today, and prices as compared with Monday, were without quotable change: $1.90@2 ₱ brl at Parker, according to pipe line, and 5 cents ₱ gallon in bulk barges here—it was reported that there had been a sale at 4½. The margin for profit at 5c is certainly small, although there is no trouble in buying it at this figure. The shutting down movement is being watched with great interest by all who are at all interested in the business, as upon its success or failure hinges the immediate future of the market. If it is faithfully and rigidly adhered to by all who have gone into it, it is thought there will be no trouble in sustaining prices, but if, on the other hand, should any one be discovered acting in bad faith, there is not much doubt but what the project would soon go to pieces. Refined quiet and unchanged; April or early May, 15 cents on cars here and 15¾ delivered in Philadelphia; 1st half May, 15½; last half, 16.

The Barrel market continues quiet and unchanged; countries, $1.65; city make, $1.70.

[Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]
SMITH'S FERRY, Beaver Co., Pa., April 28, 1874.
Crude oil at C. & P. R. R. Station ₱ brl, $1.68; at wells, $1,26, with a prospect of a further advance.

CRUDE OIL RECEIVED BY ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper	Consignee.	Bbls.
Fisher Bros	Loomis & Co.	482
N. W. Stevenson	Liberty O. W.	320
L. W. Young	American O. W.	586
Bushnell	Standard O. W.	464
Total		2,258

REFINED OIL SHIPPED EAST ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R. & WEST PENNA. R. R.

Shipper	Consignee.	Bbls.
Standard O W	Warden F and Co	798
National O W	Warden F & Co.	367
Warden F O	Warden F & Co.	51
Wormser M & Co	Waring Bros & Co	100
J A McKee and Son	Waring Bro	100
Total		1,348

New York Breadstuffs Market—Weekly Review.

NEW YORK April 27.—The features of our Wheat market the past week have presented a decided contrast to those of the preceding one, the demand for export has greatly abated, owing to the marked change in the character of the advices from Liverpool and London, the very favorable weather there greatly checking the demand, and the limits of orders thence have been reduced. This, with the more mild and seasonable weather, coupled with the resumption of Lake navigation, has greatly depressed the market, and to effect sales from day to day, a material decline has been submitted to, and we have had to note much irregularity in the sales. The absence of freight room, the higher rates current, and the material decline in gold, have largely contributed to the depression, and comparative inactivity. The demand for the future, which was so noticeable this day week, has since greatly abated. The absence of tonnage, it is greatly feared, will prove a serious obstacle to business when the supplies from the Upper Lakes and Canal reach us in large quantities, hence the disposition to purchase for the future has been checked. The favorable weather for farming operations renders it certain that a very large area will be put under seed Wheat the residue of the month, and the prospects thus far are highly encouraging for the Spring crops. The injury to the Winter Wheat crop, though serious in Ohio and a portion of Indiana and Michigan, has not been felt to any extent elsewhere, and even with the entire loss of Ohio and Indiana, the great increase in the area under Spring Wheat will more than make it good. In addition to this there is a very considerable increase in the acreage under Winter Wheat. The reports of the growing crop in the Middle States, with few exceptions, are highly favorable. From California and Oregon the reports are generally very encouraging. From Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and Ohio we hear chinch bugs are very plenty; the Winter has been so mild that few of them have been killed by the frost, and much apprehension is expressed that they have in the Wheat plant early in the season as they have in former years. The quantity of Winter Wheat now in the hands of farmers is found to be much less than at the corresponding time last year; but that we think extremely doubtful, as the quantity taken by millers since the 1st of January has been three-fold greater than we had counted on, and this excess must, as a matter of course, be deducted from our former estimates of probable supplies of Spring from the Northwest for the Summer months. The receipts thus far, reducing the Flour to Wheat, fully confirm our estimates made of the Wheat crop in September. The quantity of Wheat now in sight is about 10,391,000 bushels. This is likely to rapidly diminish. Much of that on the canal has been disposed of chiefly for export. The exports of the week are 505,297 bushels, against 57,939 bushels, the corresponding week last year.

The features of our flour market the past week have presented a decided contrast to the preceding one. The demand has been chiefly confined to the domestic and provincial trade, though since Tuesday at a material concession, shippers have been induced to purchase more freely, but the marked decline in prices has failed to draw English orders by cable, showing a very decided change in a few days in the tone and spirit of the English markets, and is conclusive proof that the favorable change in the weather there is the chief cause of the radical change. It will be remembered that two days since, the orders thence for shipping brands were quite large and extreme prices were bid, and a strong disposition was shown then to purchase for the future, but now, with a change in their weather, the tone and spirit of their advices are altogether different—but this we regard as only temporary. Such changes in their markets because of a few warm days it seems to us are unwarranted. If Great Britain required to import 23,000,000 from April 1 to September 1 and France 12,000,000 for the same time, it appears to us that with very light supplies in Europe, especially at Russian ports, that all the surplus of this country will be required to supply their wants, though moderate prices may prevail should they be blessed with good weather to mature their crops. Our receipts have been large of Medium Spring Wheat Extras and Wheat of the low grades of Winter Wheat brands, and with a material addition to our stock and a decided change in gold and exchange we have had a very dull and unsatisfactory market. Almost all grades have declined and could not be sold freely at the concession. In Family brands there has been much depression and irregularity in prices. Fancy brands of Minnesota have been in moderate request, but were better sustained than other descriptions. New Process has sold well and is in limited supply. The low grades of Spring Wheat flour have been unsalable under a considerable decline—this under all the adverse circumstances could not be prevented. The immense receipts have been a surprise to all, but they must soon fall off when a speedy change is inevitable. The exports of the week are liberal, some 47,857 barrels, against 12,803 barrels the corresponding week last year—Tribune.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, April 28.—Business was light with agents and jobbers alike, owing to stormy weather. The market for cotton goods is steady. Agents' prices are unchanged, but jobbing quotations are irregular. Medium bleached shirtings are in fair demand. Prints are not so quick. Printed shirtings are fairly active. Dress goods move steadily. Shawls and hosiery are dull. The auction rooms were well attended and fair prices rule for foreign goods.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, April 28.—Wheat dull; No 1 white Michigan $1.75; extra $1.85. Corn steady at 83c. Barley quiet and unchanged.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 28, 1874.

FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat: demand fair and market firm: No 1 spring $1.29; No 2 $1.24¾c spot, $1.25⅛ seller May, $1.26⅛ seller June; No 3 $1.16¾. Corn 62@62¼c. Rye steady and in moderate demand; No 1, 91c. Oats steady and in moderate demand: No 2 46c cash; 46⅛c seller May; rejected 45c. Barley dull and prices are nominal.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull and market unsettled; $16.10 cash or seller May; $16.25 seller June. Lard dull and unsettled; $9.15 cash or seller May. Bulk meats; demand good at full prices for shoulders; sales at 5⅞c spot; $5.90 seller May; $6.35 seller June, all loose; dull and prices lower for sides; short rib middles 8⅛c, loose, spot.

WHISKY—Steady and in moderate demand at 95c.

New York.

NEW YORK, April 28.—Cotton quiet at 17⅜c. Flour dull and in moderate demand; receipts of 18,000 bbls.; superfine western and State $5.80@6; common to good $6.15@6.60; extra Ohio $6.40@7.20; St. Louis $6.80@11. Wheat firm; No 2 spring $1.53@1.63; ingraded Iowa and Minnesota spring $1.49@1.60; white western $1.75. Rye quiet at $1.10@1.12. Barley in buyers' favor. Malt quiet. Corn firm and in fair demand; new western mixed 84@86c; old do 86@87c; white western 86c. Oats a shade firmer; mixed western 62½@65c; white western 65@67c. Hay and Hops quiet and unchanged. Coffee active at 18½@22½c. Sugar firm at 7¾@7⅞c. Molasses and rice steady. Petroleum: crude 7⅜@7½c; refined 15⅛@16c. Eggs heavy at 22c. Pork heavy at $16 85 spot; $16.75 May. Beef unchanged. Middles quiet; long clear 9⅛c; short clear 10⅜c. Lard lower at 10 3-16c. Butter firm at 24@37c; new western and state 29@38c. Cheese firm at 10@16½c. Whisky steady at 98½c.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, April 28.—Cotton, Flour and Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn firm at 65@68c. Oats steady at 48@56c. Rye steady and in moderate demand at $1,08. Barley dull but unchanged; No 2 $1.62. Oils unchanged. Eggs quiet at 14½@15c. Butter and cheese: demand fair and market firm. Pork active; seller June sales for southern shipment $17. Lard quiet and firm; steam 10c; kettle 10½c. Bulk meats steady and in moderate demand: shoulders 6¼c@6.30; clear rib sides 8⅜c spot; clear sides 9⅛c. Bacon steady at 7, 9½@9⅝c. Whisky: demand fair and market firm at 93c.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, April 28.—Flour steady; Howard street and western superfine $4.85@5.50; extra $6.00@6.60. Wheat firm; choice amber $1.83@1.86. Corn firmer; old western mixed 85c; new western mixed 83c. Oats steady; western mixed 60@61c; do white 63@65c. Rye dull. Provisions steady. Pork $17.37½. Bulk Meats: shoulders 6¾@7c; sides 9@9¼c. Bacon: shoulders 7½c; sides 10¼c. Lard 10¾c. Western butter firm at 32@37c. Coffee quiet and firm at 20@22½c. Whisky dull and nominal at $1. Wool very dull and unchanged; market bare.

Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, April 28.—Cotton in demand; the stock offering is light and the assortment poor; sales of 1,950; prices irregular; the bulk of the stock was held at the outside figures; easier rates were occasionally accepted for small lots pressed upon the market; good ordinary 15¼@15½c; strict good ordinary 15⅝@16⅛c; low middling 16⅜@16⅝c; strict low middling 17@17⅛c; middling 17⅝@17⅝c; strict middling 17⅞@17⅞c; good middling 18@18¼c; receipts 1,250 bales; exports to continent 2,274; coastwise 431; Great Britain 2,112; stock 133,697; unsold 70,800.

Foreign.

LONDON, April 28.—Tallow 38s 3d@38s 6d. Refined petroleum 12@12¼d. Linseed oil 28s 3d. Turpentine 36s.

LIVERPOOL, April 28.—Cotton quiet; middling upland 8¼@8⅜d; Orleans 8⅝@8¾d; sales of 12,000 bales; American 7,600; speculation and export 2,000. Breadstuffs quiet. Average California white wheat 12s 6d@12s 10d; club 12s 10d@13s; red western spring 11s 8d@12s 6d. Peas 42s 6d. Pork 65s. Beef 89s.

ANTWERP, April 28.—Refined petroleum 34f.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, April 28.—Flour: demand fair and market firm. Wheat steady and in moderate demand; No 1 white Michigan $1.61; extra do $1.74; amber $1.48¾; seller May $1.48¾; seller June $1.52¾. Corn: demand active and prices advanced; high mixed 74c seller May; 72c seller June; no grade 71@72c; low mixed 72c. Oats a shade better: No 1 55c; No 2 52½c; Michigan 53½c.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, April 28.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat quiet; No 1 Milwaukee $1.29; No 2 $1.27. Oats steady and in moderate demand; No 2 46c. Corn steady and moderate demand; No 2 mixed 64c. Rye steady and in moderate demand; No 1 fresh 90½c. Barley dull and nominal; No 1 $1,55; No 2 $1,35.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, April 28.—Cotton, flour and grain quiet and unchanged. Pork $17. Bulk shoulders 6¾c; sides 8⅝@9⅛c. Bacon: shoulders 7⅛c; sides 9⅜@10c. Sugar cured hams 12½@13½c. Lard: tierces 10⅛c; kegs 10¾c. Whisky 93c.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28.—Flour quiet at $7.50@8.65. Wheat dull; red $1.57@1.65. Rye $1. Corn: advancing tendency; 84@85c. Oats declining; white 62½@65c; mixed 60@61c. Petroleum: refined 15¼c; crude 11¼c. Whisky 99c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, April 28.—Flour and Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn steady at 76@77c. Oats quiet at 55@57c. Petroleum firm; standard white, in car lots, 12¾@13c.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, April 28.—Flour firm; trebls $6@7.50; choice $7.75@8.00. Bran quiet at $1.35. Sugar in fair demand and firmer; fair 8c; fully fair 8⅛c. Others unchanged.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, April 28.—Cotton quiet at 14⅛@15⅛c. Corn firm at 85c. Oats quiet; 65@67½c. Flour, wheat and provisions quiet and unchanged. Whisky: demand fair and market firm at 98c.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, April 28.—Cotton quiet; middling 16¾@17c. Flour dull and unchanged. Corn scarce at 85@86c. Oats dull at 70@72c. Pork dull at $17.50. Bacon and Lard quiet and unchanged.

Live Stock.

BUFFALO, April 28.—Cattle: receipts 1,156; total for the week 4,675; market slow, owners asking from strong last week's prices to ¼c advance; trade was confined to country dealers and local butchers; the little trade transacted was at a slight advance; sales of 450 Illinois steers, 1,060@1,270 lbs, at $5.55@6.25; 36 Missouri steers, 1,155@1,267 lbs, at $5.87½; 23 state stillers, 951 lbs, at $4.50. Sheep and Lambs: receipts for the week 4,000; the run was light; the market was active at ¼c advance on all grades; sales of 925 Michigan and Ohio wooled, 82@94 lbs, at $6.12½@6.50; 1,416 Ohio clipped, 75@100 lbs, at $5.50@6.75. Hogs: receipts 1,500; total for the week 10,000; market slow at $5.50@5.60 for Yorkers; $5.65@5.90 for heavy hogs.

CHICAGO, April 28.—Cattle: receipts 2,800 head; market moderately active and prices steady; common to good steers at $5@5.40; choice to extra $5.60@6.25; shipments 2,576. Hogs: receipts 18,000; market dull and lower for any but choice lots, which are steady; extra $5.35@5.75; shipments 7,319. Sheep: receipts 560; market dull and unchanged.

WATERTOWN, April 28.—Beef cattle: receipts 281; stock light; prime ¼c lower at $9.00@9.75 for extra; $8.50@9 for extra; $7.50@8 for first quality; $6@7 for second; $5@5.75 for third. Sheep and lambs: receipts 940; prices ½c higher; sales in lots at $4@6.50 each; extra $6@8.75.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—1 car lumber J G Holland; 1 do L Rogers; 1 car oats Elwood and McC; 100 bbls flour G A Wenzatz; 1 car cowan & Co Geo Herr; 9 pkgs eggs 4 do apples Voigt M and Co; 3 pkgs eggs 4 bbls apples J H Loh and Co; 1 do 3 do apples 4 pkgs jelly H Rea Jr; 35 bags rye Keil and R; 33 pkgs eggs J A Graff and Sons; 6 do P Sullivan; 12 bbls apples Aiken W and F; 5 pkgs tobacco Carter Bro; 148 bxs cheese Braden and P; 1 car flour D Wallace; 1 car corn 10 bbls flour T D McMillan and Co; 60 bbls shovels Myers and A; 12 pails tobacco Reymer Bro; 2 bbls eggs A Kirkpatrick and Co; 5 bags seed W D Cooper and Co; 14 pkgs soap Rina Bro; 11 do Bashfield Bro; 13 do Saomaker Co; 45 do H F Buggerman; 10 do W A Barclay; 25 do L J Blanchard; 2 cars spelter Dyer McC and Co; 25 cases lard F Sellers Bro; 1 car scrap iron W Ettinger; 1 do W J Hammond; 1 do Mclinney and L; 1 car hand R Owens; 100 bbls flour D Wallace; 10 do owners; 30 cases tobacco Howarth and Co; 5 bxs hops Curry and M; 57 pkgs eggs W H Graff and Co; 25 do J R ... ; 9 cases tobacco Dilworth Bro.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—1 car potatoes Caldwell and C; 1 do G H Hallett; 1 do Aiken W & F; 1 do Voigt M & Co; 4 cars metal Lewis O & P; 1 do McKnight D & Co; 1 do P Burgan; 1 do McClure & Co; 1 do B Schmidt & C; 1 do A Patterson; 2 do coal Sable Coal Co; 4 do stone C Howard & Son; 2 do lumber A V R R Co; 97 carboy oil vitriol Vesta Oil Co; 16 casks stone Isabella F Co; 1 do scrap iron J J Lawrence; 1 do lime W J Baughman; 7 bbls tree J H Marton; 7 bbls tallow G H Hasley; 15 grain bags Saomaker & Co; 13 do W G Kane; 12 bxs cheese 3 bbls meal sugar Braden & F; 50 bxs starch J S Dilworth & Co; 31 bxs starch W Cooper & Co; 15 do Lubbe Bro; 2 coffins 1 glass case W H Devore; 5 bxs trees B Slocum & Co; 39 cars coal N Y & C G C Co.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—100 bags barley Fred Schild; 100 bbls grease F Sariver and Co; 7 hhds hams 5 trcs do R Owens and Co; 8 bbls eggs Jas H Loh and Co; 6 bbls beer Young and Hart; 12 bxs medicine G A Kelly and Co; 10 bxs starch 10 dgum Kramer & V; 67 tierces hams J H Parker; 10 bbls oil H W Graham and Co; 175 sks oats Keil and R; 20 bbls flour T C Jenkins; 10 do D Wallace; 10 bbls whisky Voigt and McG; 1 car staves C A Warmcastle; 61 pig lead Penna Lead Co; 15½ butts tobacco 31 cads do 2 cs do T C Jenkins; 1 car staves Fred Kober; 318 sks oats D G Stewart; 10 bbls eggs H Riddle S and Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.—6 cars c. barrels Central Ref Co; 3 bxs 8 cases F Pollard; 9 chills E S Blakel; 20 bxs scales Fairbanks M & Co; 1 car oats S B Floyd & Co; 24 kegs beer J Lassey & Co; 1 car oats J McM; 1 ian & Co; 1 do J Graham; 52 bgs rye W J Meek; 30 pcs castings McIntosh B & Co; 400 sks flour Shomaker & Co; 5 bbls eggs Head C & Co; 5 pkgs lard S S Marvin; 26 pcs pipe W F Tagert; 1 car flour Watt L & Co; 1 do bbls B D Moore; 50 sks corn W Welsh & Co; 5 bbls eggs W Means; 5 do W H Graff & Co; 9 do J H Loh & Co; 4 do E Moye & Co; 9 do Head C & Co.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—1 car lumber P Pinnott; 2 do iron Spang C & Co; 56 bxs soap L O Cowan; 10 do R Bell & Son; 9 pkgs produce George McFerron Bro; 10 bxs soap 2 bbls eggs F P Kohen; 4 sks rags J J East; 2 cars ice K Blair; 300 pigs lead F F Rozier; 3 bbls eggs H C Rhodes; 1 car hay Voeghtly K & Co; 5 bbls flour F H Little & Co; 5 bbls eggs L Ross; 6 bxs soap S Dyer; 124 hides Stuckrath & Co; 1 car lumber McQuewan & D; 1 car lumber Beymer B & Co; 1 car lime Holmes & C; 1 do staves G Ewerhart; 1 do J Gumbert; 100 bbls flour G Stewart; 1 car lumber Mackey & C.

RECEIPTS AT PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR—1 car oats L C Hewsom; 1 do do, L G Graff & Co; 4 do wheat, Marshall K & Co; 3 do corn, Hitchcock McC & Co.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CINCINNATI PIER EXCHANGE—1 care mdse A P F W & C R R; 177 bgs corn R Dickey & Co. 29 bbls peaches S Ewart & Co. 10 do 1 oil Paine A & T. 45 do J H Parker, 50 do J Dalzell & Son, 25 do E H Myers & Co. 5 do Atwell L & Co. 65 do m dust J C Buffum & Co. 7 do salt Penna Salt Co. 50 bxs soap 250 bbls 5 bbls 1 cil J R Hunter, 20 do F Sellers & Co. 25 bales hemp H Gerwig & Son, 117 bales cotton Eagle C Mills, 28 do E Hyde & Son, 63 do Kennedy C & Co. 5 do tow Reenigh & G. 5 do moss Leslie McC & Co. 5 do T B Young & Co. 20 bbls 1 oil R Owens & Co. 20 tons pig iron Loomis & C; 20 pkgs tobacco Carter Bro. 40 do J Fullerton, 30 do J Johnson & Co. 30 do A Wilson, 11 pkgs tobacco T C Jenkins, 6 do Hiram Landis, 7 do R W Jenkinson, 6 do Wm Cooper, 39 kegs Spencer and McK, 5 bags feathers Holtzman and W, 2 carboys acid McKeown T and Co, 1 coffin W H Devore 3 bxs medicine Harris and E, 13 sks collars M McWhinney, 29 beer pkgs Lutz and W, 98 mt hhds Capt Sherman, 50 bags nuts Flaccus and N, 1 cask glass S McKee and Co, 7 do C Ibmson, 2 horses S Patterson, 25 doz sieves Langkamp and Son, 13 pkgs furniture J Kenworthy, 13 do G H Daler and Son, 9 do A Orthel and Co, 113 do W H Lemon, 14 do Close S and Co, 10 do M Horn; 15 do Henry Berger, 21 do P R R Agt, 4 do Dryden and E, 50 do D W Huntsman and Co, 36 do W H Porter, 137 do Lemon and W, 7 bbls eggs 2 tubs butter Jas H Loh and Co, 15 ft m lumber Excelsior Coffin Works.

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RIVER NEWS.
State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL SERVICE U. S. ARMY.—DAILY REPORT OF THE STAGE OF WATER, WITH CHANGES IN THE 24 HOURS ENDING 3 P. M.

Pittsburgh, April 28, 1874.

Stations.	Above low water ft.	in.	Change — or + ft.	in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Boonville, Mo.	8	3	−0	6	Calm.	Cloudy.
Brownsville, Pa	12	8	−0	3	W	Hv Rain.
Brunswick, Mo	4	11			NE	Clear.
Cairo Ill.	47			4	NE	Clearing.
Cincinnati, O.	41	8	+1	4	N	Cloudy.
Confluence, Pa.	6	6	−1	8	NE	Hv Rain.
Davenport, Ia.	6	7	+0	4	N	Clear.
Evansville, Ind.	31	7	−0	9	N	Lt. Rain.
Dubuque	9	8	+0	7	N	Fair.
Freeport, Pa.	5	8	−0	7	NE	H. Snow
Helena	42	0	−0	10	NW	Cloudy.
Hermann, Mo.	9	7	+0	7	NW	Clear.
Jefferson City	9	0	−0	9	N	Clear.
Kansas City, Mo	8	0	+0	4	N	Clear.
Keokuk, Iowa.	7	0	+0	6	N	Clear.
Leavenworth	2	9	+0	8	N	Clear.
Lexington, Mo.	6	0	−0	11	N	Clear.
Lacrosse	5	5	+1	2	N	Clear.
Morgantown	6	11	+1	6	NW	Lt. Rain.
Louisville, Ky.	13	2	+1	2	NW	Lt. Rain.
Marietta, O.	23	8	+2	2	NW	H. Rain.
Memphis, Tenn.	33	9	+3	0	NW	Cloudy.
Nashville, Tenn.	34	2	−0	10	NW	Cloudy.
New Geneva, Pa.	8	0	−3	4	NW	H. Rain.
Omaha, Neb.	5	7	+1	1	Calm	Fair.
Paducah, Ky	46	3	−2	2	NE	Fair.
Pittsburgh, Pa.	13	10	−2	0	NE	Lt. Rain.
Plattsmouth	2	2	+0	1	NE	Fair.
Shreveport, La.	30	2	+3	2	NW	Fair.
St. Joseph, Mo.	4	9	−0	3	NE	Clear.
St. Paul, Minn.	3	11	−0	1	W	Cloudy.
Vicksburg.	45	7	−0	1	NW	Fair.
Warsaw, Ills.	6	7	+0	2	NW	Cloudy.
Yankton, D T.	10	2	−0	3	S	Fair.

The river was again rising at this point last evening, with 13 feet 10 inches in the channel. Rain and snow combined fell nearly all yesterday, and as it seems to have been general, another freshet seems inevitable. It was reported that there were 26 inches of snow at Brookville, which, if true, is something remarkable at this season of the year. Raftmen are expecting a big rise out of the Allegheny, and another swell in the Monongahela is almost certain. Business was considerably curtailed at the landing in consequence of the bad weather.

The arrivals include the Exchange from Cincinnati, and the towboats Iron Mountain, Coal City and J. S. Mercer.

The Juniata for Cincinnati, and Carrie Brooks for Zanesville, departed. The former boat had a very fair trip, notwithstanding the unfavorable weather.

The Wild Duck is announced to depart for St. Louis to day without fail, and shippers should bear this in mind, and get their bills of lading down as early in the day as possible.

The Exchange, Captain Sam Shuman, is the next packet out for Cincinnati, and as will be seen by reference to card, she is announced to take her departure on Friday. Mr. Wm Harbison is in charge of the office.

James Hamilton and W W Hall are the Juniata's pilots.

The case of the owners of the steamer R J Lockwood vs. Eureka Insurance Company, has been on trial for several days, has been submitted to the jury, but up to this writing no verdict has been rendered.

The Esperanza, Captain Dunlevy, is announced for St. Louis forthwith.

—Yesterday's Cincinnati "Gazette" says: Capt. James Hobson left for Pittsburgh, by rail, yesterday.——The Boaz arrived from Pittsburgh last night with a tow of coal.——The Charlie McDonald, Belle McGowan, Nellie Walton, and Eagle, all arrived from Pittsburgh yesterday with tows of coal.——The Whale left for Pittsburgh last night with a tow of empty barges.——The B. D. Wood, Louisville to Pittsburgh, passed up yesterday with three barges of iron ore.——The R. W. Skillinger returns to Pittsburgh to-morrow evening.

—The New Orleans 'Picayune' says: We learn from Captain Darragh, of the Paragon, that he was sued yesterday before Commissioner Shannon, by laborers for one day's wages while in port last trip. As the boat was only here two days, and notwithstanding he proved that he paid all laborers for the two days, he was compelled to pay for one day more, when he was not here. This is justice with a vengeance.

—Yesterday's Cincinnati "Commercial" says: The Nellie Walton, a sixteen-inch cylinder boat, on her first trip, made the run from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati in 53 hours, with 100,000 bushels of coal, one hour sooner than the fast time of the My Choice.——St. Louis April 27.—The Iron sides arrived from Quincy, light, and leaves for Pittsburgh with 2,000 tons of pig iron and ore to-morrow.

—The Nashville American of Saturday says: The Tom Rees made the run to Rome, 125 miles, in 24 hours, with four 400 ton barges against a stiff current, and returned from that point in six hours. Captain Tom Harmon was her pilot. This boat and her barges, loaded with cedar, departed yesterday for Pittsburgh.

—Captain Jo Kinney being about to retire from the river, Captain H B Bailey, one of the Kate Kinney's pilots, will assume the command. Capt Bailey is an old Missouri river pilot and commander.

—The wreck of the Camelia lies in sight a few hundred yards below where she sank, and parties are pulling out the boxes and packages, bursting them open and carrying their contents off, leaving the empty boxes on the bank.

—Rumor has it that Capt Aaron Ballard has purchased the Nashville from the Tell City parties for $12,000.

—The Sam Brown ran through herself at Irish Jimmie's last Tuesday night, and went to Cairo on one engine for repairs.

—Capt Reaney, of St. Paul, it is said, contemplates building a larger steamer than the Nellie Kent for the Upper St. Croix.

—The water is said to be a foot deep in the stores on levee street, Paducah, so it is said and is about to swallow up Broadway.

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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—ON and after Sunday, November 30, 1873, trains will leave Union Depot, Pittsburgh as follows:

MAIN LINE EASTWARD.
PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, at 2:50 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:50 a. m., Philadelphia 4:10 p. m., New York 7:35 p. m.
CINCINNATI EXPRESS daily, at 12:20 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 10:40 p. m., Philadelphia 2:50 a. m., New York 6:30 a. m., Baltimore 2:40 a. m., Washington 6:13 a. m.
PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily, except Sunday, 4:40 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:10 a. m., Philadelphia 8:00 a. m., New York 11:35 a. m.
FAST LINE daily, at 7:50 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 5:00 a. m., Philadelphia 9:10 a. m., New York 12:35 p. m., Baltimore 8:35 a m., Washington 10:35 a. m.
WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:05, 10:20, 11:45 a. m., 3:10, 6:10 and 11:20 p. m. Sunday, 12:10 p. m.
BRINTON ACCOMMODATION, 7:00 a. m., 4:50, 5:30 and 9:20 p. m. Sunday, 9:20 p. m.
WILKINSBURG ACCOMMODATION......2:40p.m
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION......3:30p.m
Trains arrive at Union Depot as follows:

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.
Mail Train daily, except Monday......1:20a.m
Fast Line daily, except Monday......1:55a.m
Pittsburgh Express daily, except Monday...8:40a.m
Cincinnati Express daily......1:55p.m
Pacific Express daily......1:55p.m
Way Passenger daily......8:00p.m
Wall's Accommodation, 6:40 and 8:25 a. m., 1:20, 2:40 and 5:45 p. m. Sunday, 10:00 a. m.
Brinton Accommodation, 7:40 and 9:00 a. m., 6:45, 7:25 and 11:10 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accommodation......4:45p.m.
Johnstown Accommodation......10:00a.m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION
From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City.
MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler......6:35a.m
EXPRESS connecting for Butler......3:15p.m
FREEPORT ACCOM......9:20a.m. and 4:17p.m
SPRINGDALE ACCOM., 3:05 and 6:10 p. m. Sunday 12:50 p. m.
FAIRVIEW ACCOMMODATION......10:40a.m
Trains arrive at Federal street Depot:
Express, connecting from Butler......10:00a.m
Mail Train, connecting from Butler......5:40p.m
Freeport Accommodation......8:20a.m. and 3:35p.m
Springdale Accom., 6:30 a. m. and 6:05 p. m. Sunday 9:50 a. m.
Fairview Accommodation......12:50p.m

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A. J. CASSATT, General Manager. ja1

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY, CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.—On and after March 29, 1874, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:28am	Pacific Express	10:53am
Chicago Mail	6:13am	Wheeling Ex	10:53am
Cl. & Wh'g M'l	6:42am	Chicago Express	11:58am
Erie & Asht. Ex	7:18am	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	3:38pm
Chicago Express	11:53am	Chicago Mail	5:28pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	2:13pm	Erie & Asht. Ex.	7:23pm
Pacific Express	2:38pm	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	7:28pm
Wellsville Ex.	4:38pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	7:38pm
Erie & War. Ex.	4:38pm	Erie & Asht. Ex	11:48p
DEPART FROM ALLEGH'Y.		ARRIVE IN ALLEGHENY	
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:38am	Leetsdale Accom	7:48am
Leetsdale Accom	10:38am	Leetsdale Accom	7:58am
Leetsdale Accom	11:38am	Beaver Falls Ac.	9:18am
Sharpsburg & Asht. Ac	1:28pm	Enon Accom	9:48am
Enon Accom	3:38pm	Sharp. & Asht. Ac	12:58pm
Leetsdale Accom	5:38pm	Leetsdale Accom	12:58pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	5:38pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	5:58pm
Leetsdale Accom	6:38pm	Leetsdale Accom	5:58pm
Leetsdale Accom	10:58pm	Leetsdale Accom	7:38pm
Fair Oaks Sunday church	12:45pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:58am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrive daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Pacific Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sunday excepted.
F. R. MYERS
General Passenger and Ticket Agent,
J. N. McCULLOUGH,
General Manager.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—On and after 6 A. M., MONDAY, February 2d, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, (Pittsburgh time):

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Hulton Acc	6:40am	Hulton Acc	6:30am
Buffalo Ex	7:00am	Soda Works Acc	8:30am
Kittanning Acc	11:40am	Hulton Acc	9:10am
Brady's Bend Acc	3:25pm	Brady's Bend Acc	10:10am
Titusville Ex	2:00pm	Kittanning Acc	5:45pm
Hulton Acc	4:35pm	Titusville Ex	5:45pm
Soda Works Acc	6:00pm	Hulton Acc	7:20pm
Hulton Acc	10:50pm	Buffalo Ex	9:45pm

Buffalo Express Daily; on Sundays to Oil City only. All other trains daily except Sunday.
Buffalo Express makes close connections, at Red Bank Junction with trains on Eastern extension for Reynoldsville and intermediate stations.
Church train leaves Soda Works at 8:35am, arrives at Pittsburgh at 10:10am, returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50pm, arriving at Soda Works at 2:35pm, stopping at all stations.
Orders can be left with Excelsior Baggage Company 78 Fifth avenue, for Baggage to be checked from Hotels or residences to destination.
Ticket offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue and Union Depot.
J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Sup't.
THOS. M. KING, Assist. Sup't.
JAMES H. BRAY Ticket Agent.

PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA & CHARLESTON RAILWAY. TIME TABLE.
On and after MONDAY, March 9th, 1874, and until further notice, trains will leave and arrive at Depot, 226 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh Time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Homestead acc		Homestead acc	6:55a.m
from Ormsby	6:05a.m	Pittsburgh acc	8:05a.m
Through Mail	8:45a.m	Pittsburgh Ex.	12:35p.m
Monongahela acc	11:05a.m	Pittsburgh acc	3:15p.m
Homestead acc	4:00p.m	Through Mail	6:00p.m
Monongahela acc	6:15p.m		

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., stopping at all points for passengers, and reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 3:05 p. m.
Packets to and from Brownsville and up river points, connect with Trains at Monongahela City. Morning Passengers from Brownsville reach Pittsburgh 2 hours quicker than by Packet, and may remain until 6:15 P. M. Returning, arrive at Monongahela City to connect with afternoon boat from Pittsburgh.
Through Tickets, via this Route, same as by boat. Baggage Checked Through.
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Chief Engineer and Superintendent.
WM. J. ROSE,
General Passenger Agent. mh

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILWAY—Pittsburgh, Washington and Baltimore "Short Line."
Alteration of Time.
On and after Sunday, Feb. 15, 1874, Trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water streets, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Local Mail	3:30am	McKeesport acc.	6:45am
Through Mail	8:00am	McKeesport acc.	7:35am
Mixed Way	9:30am	W. Newton acc.	8:55am
McKeesport acc.	11:15am	Through Express	9:00am
Connellsville acc.	3:25pm	Connellsville acc.	10:50am
McKeesport acc.	4:35pm	McKeesport acc.	12:10pm
W. Newton acc.	5:20pm	McKeesport acc.	3:05pm
McKeesport acc.	6:20pm	Uniontown acc.	6:15pm
Through Ex.	8:00pm	McKeesport acc.	7:40pm
McKeesport acc.	11:00pm	Through Mail	9:20pm
W. Newton C T	12:45pm	W. Newton C T.	10:05am

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PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY
Pan-Handle Route.
On and after Nov. 2, 1873, trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh time, as follows:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:28am	McDonald Ac.	7:18am
Columbus Mail	7:18am	Wash. Accom.	8:18am
Wash. Accom.	8:48am	Steubenville Ac.	9:53am
Pacific Express	9:53am	Cincinnati Ex.	12:08pm
McDonald Ac.	12:53pm	McDonald Ac.	4:18pm
Southern Ex.	2:58pm	Wash. Accom.	5:52pm
Steubenville Ac.	3:28pm	Columbus Mail	6:18pm
Wash. Accom.	5:01pm	Fast Line	7:38pm
McDonald Ac.	6:18pm	Southern Ex.	9:38pm
Sunday Church train	12:48pm	Sunday Church train	10:03am

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Fast Line and Cincinnati Express arrive daily.
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HOME NEWS.

Letters Held for Postage, April 28, 1874.

Mrs. Eliza Baker, Blanket Hill, Pa., 3c; Frank May, Plainfield, Wisconsin, 3c; Charles Vice, Youngstown, Ohio, 3c; Wm. S. Williams, Black Bend, 3c.
E. C. NEGLEY, P. M.

A Saloon Shooting Scrape.

Last evening James McNeill, in a drunken condition, entered Mrs. Stine's saloon, corner of Third avenue and Market street, and called for drinks, for which he refused to pay. Frank Stine was behind the bar and he seized a beer glass and flung it at McNeill, but missed him. He then drew a revolver and fired, hitting him in the shoulder, inflicting a slight wound. Stine was arrested by officer Thomas Hester and lodged in a cell in the lock up.

The International Series.

Elsewhere will be found the advertisement of the ninth volume of the international series of scientific works, issued by Messrs. D. Appleton & Co., of New York. This series is really what it pretends to be,—prepared by genuinely cultured scientific men, masters who have something to say, and know how to say it in the most lucid and entertaining way. These are among the good books of the times which ought to find a place in all public and private libraries.

Burglars' Hauls.

The residence of Mr. J. R. Lytle, on Squirrel Hill, Twenty-third ward, was burglariously entered on Monday night and $175 in money carried away. The thieves, conveniently for themselves, left no trace.

Gallinger's pawn shop, corner of Penn avenue and Twelfth street, was broken open on Monday night and five hundred dollars worth of stuff stolen. This is the second time the place has been burglarized. A liquor store in the vicinity was also robbed of fifty dollars worth of liquors and cigars. The rascals made themselves scarce.

Sunday School Normal Class Exercises.

The muddy streets and unpromising weather of last evening did not operate against a good attendance at the eighth session of the Normal class of Sunday School managers, held in the Liberty street M. E. Church. Mr. James T. Kincaid opened the proceedings with prayer. Rev. R. T. Miller then continued a consideration of the interesting and instructive topic, "Outlines of Bible History and Chronology" developing the following headings:

From the passage of the Jordan to the Monarchy, B. C. 1451, 1095. From the establishment of the Monarchy to its division. B. C. 1095, 975. From the division of the Monarchy to the final capture of Jerusalem. B. C. 975, 587. From the final capture of Jerusalem by Nebuchadnezzar to the close of the old Testament History, B. C. 587, 397. Interval between the close of the Old Testament History and the commencement of the New, B. C. 397-6. From the beginning of the New Testament period to the Ascension of Christ. B. C. 6 to A. D. 30. The class exercise was followed by the singing of the beautiful solo

"Flee as a bird to your mountain,"

sung by the organist, Mrs. Sidney Omohundro. The chairman, Wm. J. Jackson, Esq., announced as the topic for the next session—two weeks from to-night—"Bible Manners and Customs."

An Item of General Interest.

There are few people who do not occasionally require the services of a first class dentist, and we take it, therefore, that an intimation of where such an artiste can be found, will be an item of general interest. A dentist of this character is Dr. Gale French, who has located as successor to Dr. Westbay, at No. 258 Penn avenue. The fact of successorship to such an eminent master in his profession as Dr. Westbay is of itself a strong indication of the abilities of Dr. French, but this is not his only recommendation. He is a graduate of the best schools, has made the profession a close study for years, both in theory and practice, and is recognized as among our leading dentists,—the fact being attested by his election as an officer of the Mississippi Valley Dental Association. He is careful, painstaking and thorough in all that he does and never extracts a tooth or does a piece of dental work, without doing it perfectly, and with the least possible inconvenience to the patient.

Since taking possession of his new quarters, Dr. French has had the suite of rooms elegantly refitted throughout, making them as luxurious as any in the city. He has further added the latest improved appliances to his dental outfit, so that there is nothing wanting in his establishment, to enable him to do his work promptly and perfectly. We heartily commend the gentleman to the confidence and patronage of our friends who may require at any time the services of a dentist and who may wish to place themselves under the manipulations of none but a first class member of the profession.

Allegheny City Property Matters.

The Committee on City Property of Allegheny Councils held a meeting last evening. A communication was submitted from John Richards, to whom the contract for building the Fourth ward Engine House was recently awarded. He stated that in making his bid he had made it too low by $700, and asked that it be increased that amount.

On motion it was decided to notify Mr. Richards that unless he would take the contract at his first bid—$9,839—the contract would be awarded to the next lowest bidders, Messrs. Wm. Murdock & Son.

Relative to the contract for building an armory for Knap's Battery, the committee decided to report to Councils that no appropriation had been made for building the armory.

The Controller was directed to advertise for proposals for painting and varnishing the walls and ceilings of the Council chambers.

A sub committee was appointed to fit up a room for the Chief of Police in the lock-up under the Mayor's private office.

The contract for placing shelving in the Engineer's vault was awarded to Messrs. Trimble, McIntyre & Co., for $160, the work to be completed within three weeks.

At a previous meeting the Superintendent of the Water Works was notified to remove all the castings from the First ward Diamond Square. A communication was presented from him, asking that the Committee lease a lot on which the castings could be placed. It was referred back to him with directions to report the cost of leasing such a lot.

Permission was granted the crusaders to hold a prayer meeting in the Third ward Diamond Square on Wednesday.

After approving a number of bills the Committee adjourned.

SCHARFF AND MORRIS.

A Difference of Opinion Prevents a Race.

Last evening the friends of Billy Scharff, of the McKee Barge Club, and Eph. Morris, of the Clipper Boat Club, met in Manning's tavern, corner of Penn avenue and Eleventh street, for the purpose of making a match, if possible, between these leading lights of the boating fraternity. On Saturday last Morris' friends issued a challenge to Scharff. The latter is already matched to row Ten Eyck of Boston, and Brown of Halifax in June and July. For this reason, the friends of Scharff looked upon the challenge, coming at this time, as unfair. Last year Scharff lay idle all summer and did not make a race, when it is well known that Morris could have found "his man," had he so wished. However, the friends of both parties met last evening to come to an understanding, if possible. It was evidenced from the first, that the parties were too wide apart to come to any definite understanding. The friends of Scharff claimed they were not anxious for a race, but would give time and money to opponent, provided they could choose the course, the upper Monongahela river, or *vice versa*, Morris to give time and money and they choose a course. Morris' friends would agree to no such thing. They would not agree on the upper course; any where else, barring between the two first dams or to first pool. They would take above or below, or would toss a cent on a course on the Ohio, Allegheny, in Gray's Eddy, opposite Hulton station, or the lower Monongahela course; and as to time, would row near June 1st. The friends of Scharff would agree to nothing but their own proposition, and Morris would not show any other color either. Thus it was, that for over two hours the matter was discussed, but nothing at all was done. The friends of Scharff stated that after their man had got through his other work, he would be ready to talk to Morris, and probably make concessions if they have any money left. Thus another challenge for the present, has been shelved.

THE STOCK YARDS.

Alleghenians Again Discussing the Matter—Their Removal to be Recommended Again by the Board of Health.

The Board of Health of Allegheny held a meeting last evening for the purpose of considering the ordinance referred to them by Councils, ordering the removal of the stock yards from their present location in the Second ward to some place beyond the city limits. After the meeting had been called to order by Mr. Price in the chair, the gentlemen who were interested in the removal of the stock yards, of whom there were quite a number present, were called upon to give their reasons for and against the removal of the yards.

Mr James Hunter then addressed the committee at some length, asking that a reasonable time be given to the cattle dealers and owners of the yards for their removal. The cattle dealers were about to organize a stock company and erect their cattle yards at some convenient point, but as yet the site had not been selected, and it would require at least three years to remove the yards, and they asked for that much time. If they were pushed too hard, and not allowed sufficient time, he was authorized to say that they would carry the matter into the courts, and he, as a tax-payer and citizen of Allegheny, did not want to help pay for prosecuting himself. He admitted that the stock yards were an eye sore, but he denied that they caused disease or sickness, as during the time that small-pox and fever raged in Allegheny there were fewer cases in that neighborhood than in any other part of the city.

Mr. Myers stated that although not at present in the cattle business, still he had been and he took a great interest in regard to this matter. He thought that the city should not push them too hard, but allow them a reasonable time to remove the yard.

Mr. H. S. Fleming stated that he did not think it was necessary to repeat the many arguments made at the last meeting of the Board in favor of the removal. It was sufficient they were a nuisance. He didn't want to be unreasonable in regard to allowing sufficient time for the removal of the yards, but he thought it could be done in considerable less time than three years.

Mr. A. Leggate also spoke in favor of the removal of the yards, and thought it could be done in less than two years.

The room was then cleared, and after some consideration it was decided to recommend to Councils that the ordinance be passed after being so amended as to allow the owners of the present cattle yards until October 1st, 1875, to remove the same.

The committee also decided to recommend to Councils that a sewer be laid on Long alley. Adjourned.

The "Franklin," Allegheny, pays interest on time deposits.

OUR LIVELY GAS WAR.

How the Situation Now Lies Between the Rival Companies—The Consolidated Concern Pushing Ahead Despite Opposition—A Generous Support From an Appreciative Public—The Old Monopoly on a New Line of Action.

The Consolidated Gas Company, notwithstanding the opposition of the "Old Monopoly" and the numerous annoyances to which it has been subjected in consequence, continues to extend its pipes in every direction, and it is established to-day upon a basis so solid and has such brilliant prospects before it that not even the most sanguine of its friends ever supposed, against such an unscrupulous and formidable opponent, it could, in so short a time, achieve such great and decided success. When it was first proposed to organize the Company and furnish the people of Pittsburgh with a better and cheaper article of gas than that supplied by the old Company, the magnates of the latter institution pooh-poohed the idea and predicted that the bold effort could only end in failure. But the men with whom the new enterprise originated knew what they were about. A long and carefully-conducted series of experiments had satisfied them that they could not only make a purer and better article of gas than that furnished by the Monopoly, but could supply it at less cost, and possessing ample means, and rightly judging that their project would meet with warm encouragement from the public, they put their money into the enterprise, had new and extensive works constructed, and in a very few months from the time of their organization, were enabled to demonstrate practically the success of their scheme by supplying consumers with an illuminator greatly superior to any ever made by the old organization and at a much cheaper price.

THE OLD MONOPOLY'S LONG LEGAL AGONY.

And all this time the old organization was doing its utmost to crush out its young rival, nor has it ceased its efforts yet, but of this farther on. First, it opposed an application to Councils for the right to lay the pipes through the city; but, for once, Councils did "a good thing," and the right was not only conceded, but voted by a very large majority, greatly to the chagrin of the Sixth Street Barnacles, who thought they had Councils "set up" to kill the grant. Failing before Councils, and it becoming more and more evident that the new organization was to be a grand success, Dr. Hostetter et al. next had resort to the County Courts where they sought to have the Company enjoined from laying their pipes in the city, on the ground that he and his associates were entitled to the exclusive privilege of supplying the people of Pittsburgh with gas; but he met with no more success here than he did at City Hall, for his application was refused, and a nice bill of costs left for the disappointed stockholders to liquidate. But the Doctor is a persevering man. No bull-dog holds on with more tenacity than he when he gets a grip, legal or otherwise, and never was this peculiar trait in his character better illustrated than by his course in this case. Defeated before Councils, turned out of the local courts, and with public opinion a unit in favor of the new company, one might suppose that he would have ceased his opposition and let matters take their course; but he did nothing of the kind. There was yet a chance that the young giant which so seriously interfered with his plans and his dividends might be successfully throttled, and he was not the man to let it pass: so we next find proceedings instituted in the United States Court to annul the charter of the Consolidated Company, declare its operations without warrant of law, and thus in a manner confirm the Doctor in his pretensions to the exclusive right to furnish the city with gas. With the proceedings in the United States Court our readers are familiar. Though brought ostensibly in the name of an outside party, it was shown that the Pittsburgh Gas Company was at the bottom of the whole business, and when the Court rendered a decision adverse to the monopoly the city breathed easier, and the people cried, Amen!

TRYING TO INFLUENCE PUBLIC CUSTOMERS.

The new company had by this time extended its mains along our principal streets, and the illuminating qualities of the gas it supplied being far superior to those of the article furnished by the Monopoly, and the price much lower, the defection of customers from the latter became so great as to excite the liveliest alarm among the stockholders, and it was resolved to make another effort to break up the new organization. This time Harrisburg was to be the theatre of operations, and the Attorney General of the State the party through whom it was expected the Doctor might attain his ends. Application was to be made to Mr. Dimmick to institute proceedings on behalf of the State to break the charter of the Consolidated Company, and petitions were gotten up here praying his interference in the matter on the ground that said charter was illegally obtained, and ought not in law or justice be allowed to stand. What became of these petitions or how the Doctor fared at Harrisburg we have never heard; but the fact that Mr. Dimmick has not seen fit to interfere and the new Company still continues to pursue the even tenor of its way, would indicate that he met with no more success there than in Councils or before the Courts. Since the Harrisburg business the Doctor has been to Philadelphia in the interests of the monopoly, but his efforts there to interfere with the new organization appear to have been attended with no greater success than here, for the Pennsylvania Railroad, whose officers were implored to take their gas from the Doctor's concern, the inducement being a reduction from the old price of $1.60 per thousand feet to $1.00, have not only refused to entertain the Doctor's appeal, but have since entered into a contract with the new company for their supply at $1.40 per thousand feet—Colonel Scott feeling no doubt that from the superior quality of the new gas, it is cheaper to use it at this price than the gas supplied by the old company at forty cents per thousand feet less. The authorities at Washington have, we understand, also been appealed to, to take the old gas at the Custom House and Postoffice, but, so far as heard from, they are entirely satisfied with existing arrangements, and there is very little likelihood that the Doctor will get Uncle Sam back on his rolls.

ITS YOUNG RIVAL TOO MUCH FOR IT.

So much for the efforts made to crush the new organization. A few words now as to what, in the face of all this annoyance and opposition, it has accomplished and the claims it has upon the public for support. The company started with a capital of $250,000, all of which is paid up, and that those who invested in the stock must make a good thing out of it is clear from the fact that it now commands *fifty seven dollars per share—a premium of seven dollars over its par value*—and cannot be had even at this figure. The works of the Company are among the most complete and extensive in the country, and though but a few months in operation, the daily consumption is now nearly 300,000 feet, and new applications from consumers are received every day. Every foot of ground owned by the Company, the seven miles of pipes laid and pipes for two miles additional not yet put down, and its buildings, &c., have not only all been paid for, but it has besides a large surplus on hand, and will at its next meeting probably declare a handsome dividend. This, for a new organization, is a handsome showing, and speaks well for the judgement with which its affairs are managed; but its receipts for the coming year will be infinitely greater and will foot up an aggregate which will astonish the croaking old fogies who saw naught but ruin for the projectors of the enterprise, and could never be convinced of its success.

REDUCTIONS COMPELLED BY COMPETITION.

A short time ago a rumor prevailed that Doctor Hostetter, from his abundant means, was arranging to get control of the new company as he did of the old by buying up its stock, but ample precautions to prevent such a catastrophe were taken at the time, and no fear need be felt now that he will ever have a voice in its management. The stock is held by men who appreciate its worth and would not sell to him at any price, and who are, moreover, in a manner pledged to run the works in the interests of the public as well as their own, which would be impossible had he a controlling voice in their management. And here we would impress on our citizens the importance of giving all the support and encouragement possible to the new organization, for the reason that through its establishment our gas bills have not only been largely cut down but we have been emancipated in a measure from the tyranny and insolence of a monopoly which recognized no other law or justice than its own rules and behests, and from whose extortions, no matter how gross or palpable, there was in reality no appeal. Previous to the establishment of the new company we had to pay $1.85 per thousand feet for gas. When the new organization was about to start, the price was reduced to $1.60, and now, when the monopoly finds it has to do something to retain its customers, who are deserting it just as fast as the new company can supply them, it resorts to the desperate expedient of cutting the price down to $1, which is, perhaps, less than it costs to supply gas, and must therefore be a losing game at which not even Dr. Hostetter can afford to play at too long.

A WORD OF WARNING TO CONSUMERS.

The public, however, will not be deceived by this dodge into a withdrawal of their support from the new Company, for they know that to it belongs the credit of having caused the reductions already made by the old organization, and that if it were out of the way to-morrow the price would not only be put up to the highest limit allowed by law, but the quality of the gas furnished would be inferior, as of the old, and the insolence of the Monopoly become intolerable. For this reason, and the further well-established fact that Consolidated gas at $1.40 is cheaper than the old Company's gas at $1.00, our readers will see that there is nothing to be saved by using the old gas, while by taking the new, the Consolidated company will be strengthened, and in time enabled to make a reduction on its present tariff. It is the interest of all to deal with the new Company, no matter to what figure the Monopoly for the time being reduces its price; and in its efforts to extend its sphere of operations, the Consolidated organization should receive from all the heartiest encouragement.—*Dispatch.*

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BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

....The general report was, that yesterday was unpleasant.

....Liberty street mud, beyond the Union Depot, is the blackest.

....Rev. Dr. C. A. Holmes is in the city, from Harrisburg, on a brief visit to friends.

....The Park Commission of Allegheny met last evening and approved bills amounting to $600.

....Charles F. Schanlan is charged with wilful and corrupt perjury before Alderman McMasters.

....The proclamation for the election for a Mayor for the unexpired term of Mayor Callow will be issued to-day.

....It is delightful of a wet day to hunt items on Penn avenue, that thoroughfare is kept in such a healthy (?) condition.

....The cigar men who were worsted by members of the Y. M. C. A. are now seeking revenge by trumping up charges against them.

....340 shares of the Household Gas Company, a new corporation which will soon commence business in this city, has thus far been taken.

....It is more than likely that the Republican Executive Committee of Allegheny city will be called together for a meeting on Saturday evening next.

....On Thursday a meeting of the South Side members of Councils is to be held, for the purpose it is said of adopting a plan for uniformity of action in Councils.

....It would be pleasant to see the gas lamps lit on the walks leading to the Union Depot on Liberty street from Washington, and on the bridge in rear of the Elevator.

....James Russel is believed to have larcenated $14.12 worth of carpet from the Pennsylvania Company. At least, that is the charge made by Charles Sippy before Alderman McMasters.

....In a deed left for record in the County Recorder's office, the terms of sale are set forth as follows: "One dollar and the love and affection of a father lawful money of the United States, etc."

....Forepaugh did not spread his canvass on Thirty-first street and Penn avenue yesterday, and consequently, a great many people who would have gone to see the show anyhow, were disappointed.

....A member of the Police Committee informed our reporter last night that no charges had been officially brought before that body against Chief of Police Irwin, for permitting the partner of Allen, the bank swindler, to go free.

....Rev. Geo. Beecher, nephew of H. W. Beecher, of First Presbyterian church, Cincinnati, will address the Womens Convention to-morrow, (Wed.) at ten o'clock in Dr. Howard's church, Penn St. Mother Stewart will also address the meeting.

....A wagon stalled in a hole on Penn avenue, near the Niagara engine house, yesterday afternoon, and it took just an hour and twenty minutes to get it out. The air smelled of brimstone in the vicinity of where the driver of the team stood.

....The hearing in the case of Wm. McCutcheon et al. vs. the city of Pittsburgh and the Liberty Avenue Commissioners, which was to have come off yesterday in the Common Pleas Court, has been postponed until Saturday at eleven o'clock.

....Owing to the dampness of the atmosphere yesterday the Special Committee on the adjustment of the difficulty between the Connellsville railroad and the Second Avenue Commission, did not visit the points in dispute as was intended. The tour will probably be made to-morrow.

....John Earil John Eaton and Buelah Eaton, who were arrested last week by Detective Benson in Crawford county for manufacturing and passing counterfeit nickels, have had a hearing, and in default of $3,000 bail each for the men and $1,000 for the woman, they were committed to jail.

....Messrs. Wm. Smith & Sons yesterday were awarded a contract for six miles of main pipe for the Consolidated Gas Company, to be made immediately. The company will prosecute the work of laying pipe vigorously this summer, and it is expected that upwards of ten miles will be laid the coming season.

....An action for damages, it is said, is to be instituted against Messrs. Barton & Keeney, for alleged negligence in not securing a sand bank by the fall of which, on Penn avenue, near East Liberty, in August last, a laborer named John Martin was killed. The suit is brought by the wife of deceased.

....At a meeting yesterday of the committee appointed to investigate the claim of Anthony Monaghan for damages amounting to $1,120, alleged to have been sustained by the overflow of sewer drops on Old avenue, it was decided to allow the claimant $120, provided he would accept that sum as payment in full.

....A further hearing was had yesterday before Register Gray in the matter of the contested will of Henry McAleer, late of Etna borough. The deceased was between seventy and eighty years of age when he shuffled off, and left an estate valued in the neighborhood of eight thousand dollars. It was bequeathed to Patrick McAleer, and now the contestants, who are also children of the deceased, claim that the testator at the time he made his will was of unsound mind.

....About noon yesterday a little four year old son of Mr. R. R. Ray, Jr., Allegheny City Assessor, was playing in the hay-loft of a stable at the corner of Pearl street and Herlep alley, and accidentally fell between two of the boards to the floor beneath falling upon his face. The cries of his little playmate attracted the attention of the child's grandmother, who ran out and found him lying in an insensible condition. He was carried into the house when he soon returned to consciousness. The child fortunately escaped with a few severe bruises.

....The Committee on Wooden Buildings of Allegheny Councils met last evening and decided to report adversely to granting the petition of E. S. Jones to erect a frame shop, corner of Jackson and Federal street. The petition of the Lion Brewery Company was referred back to the petitioner to state what the building he wished to erect was wanted for. It was decided to recommend that the petition of Nelson Hill for permission to erect a frame addition to his house, corner of Veto street and Davis alley, be granted.

....At a regular meeting of the Board of School Directors of the Fourth ward of Allegheny city, yesterday evening, the reports of the Superintendents, Messrs. Morrow and Espey, were submitted. The attendance of pupils during the last month was as follows: First precinct—Number enrolled, 634. Average attendance, 534. Second precinct—Number enrolled, 523. Average attendance, 444. The Principals were directed to inform the teachers under their control that the Board looked with disfavor upon the practice so prevalent in some other schools whereby the teachers, at a profit to themselves, furnished the scholars with text books.

....An application for a writ of *habeas corpus* was made yesterday in the Common Pleas Court by John McIntyre, to command Margaret and Sarah McNeill to produce in Court the body of John E. McIntyre, a child of the petitioner, aged three years, whom he alleges is unlawfully restrained of his liberty by the parties named. The Misses McNeill are sisters-in-law of McIntyre, and it is averred that since the death of the latter's wife, about two months ago, they have retained possession of the little boy at their residence in Tarentum, and have refused to deliver him into the custody of his proper keeper, the father. A writ, ordering the child to be brought into Court, was issued and made returnable on Saturday at ten o'clock.

....In the Prothonotary's office yesterday morning a civil suit for damages was instituted by James Quinn and Elizabeth his wife, against the Pittsburgh & Ormsby Passenger Railway Company. It will be recollected that in March last, an infant son of the plaintiffs, named James Quinn, was run over by one of the cars of the company on Sarah street, near Eighteenth, Twenty-sixth ward, South Side, and almost instantly killed. The name of the driver was O. T. Little, and the plaintiffs allege that he "drove so negligently, carelessly and recklessly, and at a rate of speed so rapid, dangerous and unlawful, that James Quinn, an infant son, being on the street, was knocked down and run over, two of the wheels of the car passing over his body and causing his death." Damages are claimed in the sum of $10,000.

AMUSEMENTS.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.—The great society drama entitled "Led Astray," was witnessed last evening, on the occasion of its second presentation, by a large and appreciate audience, notwithstanding the excessive inclemency of the weather. As on its first production, all the principal *roles* were most admirably rendered. One valuable element in the piece is that other than the leading characters are well drawn, and the ladies and gentlemen who support Mrs. Bowers have something more to do than in average plays. "Led Astray" will be repeated this evening.

LIBRARY HALL.—The bad weather did not prevent a fair sized audience from witnessing the initial performance of Kelly & Leon's minstrels last evening. They gave a selected programme of minstrelsy, and their acts included many novelties. The company is one of the best that has ever appeared here, and their specialties of comic opera is something that is worth witnessing, being in every sense of the word, artistic. They give their last performance in Library Hall this evening, and show in Liberty Hall, East Liberty, to-morrow evening. They deserve crowded houses.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—This afternoon the Royal Marionettes give a grand matinee for ladies and children, which will no doubt be largely patronized. On Friday evening, Messrs. Gray and Trimble, the gentlemanly ushers, who are always courteous and obliging, of this house, will be the recipients of a benefit. The house no doubt will be tested to its full capacity. The Royal Marionettes appear.

FOREPAUGH'S AGGREGATION.—The wet weather did not cast a pampener on this show, if it did prevent it from spreading its canvass in this city yesterday. It will show to-day in Birmingham, on the car stable lots. That the show is one of the best that travels no one disputes, and it only stays to-day on the South Side, going to-morrow to the Union Skating Park, Allegheny, where it exhibits the balance of the week.

MARTIN'S NEW VARIETY THEATRE.—This new and favorite place of resort will give its fourth matinee this afternoon, when the thirty-one artists will appear in a monster olio. For the evening a grand double bill has been prepared, and many novelties are in preparation.

LECTURE AT LIBRARY HALL.—To-morrow evening Rev. W. H. Gill will lecture at Library Hall on "William the Third." The reverend gentleman is well known, and he, no doubt, will handle the subject ably. Toerge's orchestra will give a choice programme of music, from seven to eight o'clock.

CITY HALL.—The Orphans' Fair continues in successful operation at City Hall. The evening promenade is very attractive to the young folks and is participated in by large numbers. The chances in the various articles are being rapidly taken, and the indications are that the Fair will be a great success.

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THE CRUSADERS.

The Temperance Movement in Lawrenceville—Large Meeting Last Night in the Seventh U. P. Church—"Mother Stewart" Addresses the Meeting, &c., &c.

A large audience assembled in the Seventh U. P. church, Forty-fourth street, last night. The announcement having been made that "Mother Stewart," the pioneer temperance reformer, from Ohio, was to address the meeting.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Watkins, which was followed by the reading of the Secretary's report of the last month's work. The report contained many interesting notes of progress of the woman's war and the manner in which it was carried on.

Rev. Andrews read a portion of Scripture, after which the President of the meeting, Mrs. Andrews, announced that a dispatch had been received, stating that "Mother" Stewart would arrive in the city on the 6:30 train, and as a carriage had been sent down, she would be present shortly.

Mr. French was introduced and addressed the meeting at some length. Mrs. Stofel, a lady connected with the movement in this end of town, offered a fervant prayer for the cause.

"Mother" Stewart was announced, and on her entering the room, it was the signal for loud and continued applause. She was attired in a plain black dress and drab bonnet, and was altogether a neat looking old Methodist lady.

Taking the platform she said:

Dear Friends—This is to me indeed a touching occasion, and I feel deeply affected. But my friends I wish to remind you I am only mortal, only a poor weak instrument in the hands of God. I am so glad to know that you dear friends are in such good working condition, you have had your union meetings, your prayer meetings, and are getting along well. The work to be done is a vast one, and it will be accomplished when the Christians get down low at the foot of the Cross, and pray and supplicate for aid and success.

You, of course, heard of our work in Ohio, and you are questioning yourselves, doubtless, if you can succeed here, as we did there. We say you can. It is the subject of conversation everywhere. They all expect you to succeed; even the liquor men, although they put a bold face on the matter. But don't you make the mistake of expecting this work to be finished immediately. It must have time. It is the work of Christ and it must be done. We have all been cold and slow, but now we are coming up in power and strength, and the liquor men are trembling. They may brag that they have the power in their hands, and the men in office, but they are arrayed against righteousness and they must ultimately fall.

And this work has its lessons, I would not exchange my experience to-day for one million dollars.

Some one told me you had 500 saloons; I think many more. And how many churches? Look at the fearful comparison.

Nearly two thousand years ago the angels on Judea's plains sang, "Peace on earth and good will to men," then the Saviour came. He said, "Go forth and preach my gospel;" and, my sisters, had it been done, the world would have been evangelized. But that God has at last called us women out, and I say to you, consecrate yourselves to this work. In Fairmount yesterday a sister was afraid to go out to pray on account of her husband. I say no man has a right to say whether a woman shall go forth in this work or not; let them do it at their peril.

In the city here you visit a saloon. You go, and a committee is allowed to enter. You are treated politely, and talked to pleasantly by the proprietor. Of course, all this is reported in the papers, and it causes these men to be looked on with favor. But they are wiser than you. Don't go in a committee to them, but go in a band; in the fear of the Lord.

I don't believe there is a saloon keeper in these two States who has not violated the liquor law. The lady here stated that there was a monster in Wheeling who is so bought up by the liquor influence that he scarcely dare say a word on the subject of temperance, only against it.

During the course of her address she spoke very touchingly of many incidents connected with the work in Ohio, some in the audience being effected to tears.

At the close of her remarks, the audience were dismissed with the benediction.

Mrs Stewart will address the meeting held today at 2 P. M., in Dr. Howard's Second Presbyterian church.

TEMPERANCE AT WILKINSBURG.

A very large and spirited meeting of the friends of temperance was held on Monday evening, at the Methodist Church, Wilkinsburg, 37th ward. Rev. S. M. Henderson presided and Thomas R. Robinson acted as Secretary.

Mr. W. B. Ross, of Allegheny, addressed the meeting upon the importance of the new ward organizing for defence against the encroachments of the liquor traffic, and detailed some of his own exciting experiences in the temperance war.

Mr. McGonigle also addressed the meeting, bearing principally upon the great and growing burden of liquor taxation to which the people are so unconsciously submitting.

A discussion then took place upon certain matters of local importance, which resulted in the appointment of a vigilance committee, to devise and execute ways and means to prevent the illegal sale of liquor in the 37th ward. Messrs. Warren and Robinson were appointed delegates to the coming prohibition convention, after which the meeting adjourned to meet again at the call of the vigilance committee.

THE WORK AT MONONGAHELA CITY.

The temperance folks at Monongahela City are moving along. They have organized a branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and are stirring matters up. Thus far the work has been principally in the direction of organization. The question of out-door raids upon the saloons has not yet been decided. The matter will be arranged in a few days, and a definite plan of operations fixed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following deeds were filed in Recorder Richardson's office April 27th:

Wm. Frees to Sarah Wilson, April 4, 1873, lot in Harrison township, 40x138½ feet. Price $225 ....George Herron to Christopher Keisling, April 13, 1874, lots 13 and 14 in Marshall's plan, Chartiers borough, 18x113½ feet. Price $900.... Joseph Orr to Wm. Jamison, April 20, 1874, lot on Carroll street, Second ward, Allegheny. Price $2,320....Isabella S. Wright to Joseph Orr, April 16, 1874, lot on Carroll near Jefferson street, Allegheny. Price $900....Robert Henderson to Andrew English, April 1, 1874, tract of land in Pine township containing 113 acres and 18 perches; price $8,900....Wm. King to Leonbard Kauffman, April 9, 1874, lot on South street, Thirty-first ward, Pittsburgh, 25x150 feet. Price $700....John Brown, Jr.'s administrators to H. L. McCullough, April 22, 1874, lot on North avenue, Allegheny, 90x100 feet. Price $16,000....B. Gifford and Thomas H. Bakewell to John W. Chalfant and C. B. Herron, February 25, 1874, two lots in McClure township. Price $5,400....Thomas Kerr to C. W. Sloan, September 8, 1872, lot 35x75 feet on Congress street, Pittsburgh. Price, $1,600....W. B. Bratt to Herman Deuch, March 1, 1873, triangular lot, 99 feet in Jack's Run road, Ross township. Price, $250....John Alderson, Executor, to John Morgan, December 6, 1873, lot on Homestead Farm, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, 25 x100 feet. Price, $202....John H. Page to Josephine A. Page, July 1, 1863, lot on Sidney street, Birmingham, 96x120 feet. Price, $1.... George Flower, M. D., to Wm. Stewart, March 16, 1871, lot on Hazelwood avenue, Pittsburgh, 33x110 9 feet. Price $1,000.... Wm. Stewart to H. C. Lentz, March 26, 1874, same lot as above. Price $1000.... Anton Eberiz to Nicholas Denmarsh, April 8, 1874, lot on Fifteenth street, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, 24x63.6 feet. Price $2,400 ....Sarah Aiken to John W. Pittock, March 6, 1874, two lots on Highland Ave., Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, in Aiken's plan. Price 5,000.... John S. Cochran to Precilla Kennedy, Feb. 6, 1869, sixty acres in Mifflin township. Price $6,000....John S. Cochran to Robert Patterson, Feb. 6, 1869, 115¼ acres in Mifflin township. Price $12,000....James Davidson to Nicholas Allebrand and Chas. J. Brose, April 10, 1873, lot on Picnic and Bradford streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, 26x75.6 feet. Price $800....Hugh Wilson to Thomas Ross, February 3, 1874, lot on Fayette street, Fifth ward, Allegheny, 20x134 feet. Price $900....Rebecca Baum to Samuel Miller, Sept. 1, 1873, lot 100x170 feet on Cypress street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh. Price $1,200....Hamilton McClintock to Robert C. Schmertz, April 16, 1874, lot in Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, on Pennsylvania avenue and Craig streets, containing 2 acres and 2.80 perches. Price $43,000....Emil Satory to John Bauman, Sept. 1, 1873, one-third of lot in Seventh ward, Allegheny, 30x143.2 feet. Price $666.66⅔....Same party, same date, to Joseph Keller, one-third of same lot; same price.... John Sarver to Martha M. Sarver, March 30, 1874, lot on Locust street, Sixth ward, Allegheny, 24x130 feet. Price $3,500.

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THE COURTS.

TUESDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Criminal Court.

[*Before Judge Collier.*]

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. James Russell, charged on oath of James Hooper with larceny and receiving stolen goods from the Fort Wayne Railroad cars, the jury is out.

A verdict of "guilty" was rendered to-day in the case of Thomas Woods, tried yesterday afternoon for larceny and receiving stolen goods. The accused was one of the parties arrested for stealing from the Fort Wayne Railroad Company.

A *nolle prosequi* was allowed in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Edward Mulberger and Michael Brusenderfor, also indicted for larceny and receiving stolen goods.

Alexander Coble plead *nolo contendere* to the charge of fornication and bastardy, on oath of Hester Hetley, and was discharged on his own recognizance to pay costs.

John Collegan was found guilty of fornication and bastardy on oath of Miss Dorison.

In the case of Christ Lehman, indicted for assault and battery, the jury found a verdict of not guilty and directed the prosecutor to pay the costs. Albert Sanders was convicted of aggravated assault and battery. These were cross suits.

Trial List for To-day.

Commonwealth vs.

W. A. Tyre et al.,	W. B. Barton,
Henry Hershauser,	John O'Donnell,
Peter Weis,	Henry Fehter,
Henry Bain,	J. S. Sheppard,
Thomas Spence,	John Morgan,
Frank Weigand,	Oscar L. French, et al.
Annie Eiserl,	G. C. Lightcap,
James E. March et al.,	Alex. Bannerman,
I. Cready,	Wm. Sterrett.
Francis Frank et al.,	

Common Pleas Court.

[*Before Judge Sterrett.*]

In the case of John C. Couch vs. Andrew F. Baum, the jury found for plaintiff for $607.98. This was an action on a promissory note.

The two cases of William B. Hickey vs. Patrick Regan and James Blondin are on trial. These are actions of replevin.

Trial List for To-day.

No. 76. Patrick & Co. vs. Cluley.
No. 77. Same vs. Same.
No. 80. Sheppard vs. Knowles et. al.
No. 177. Coleman & Son vs. Heffman.
No. 180. Duncan vs. Wesbay.
No. 187. Callahan vs. Peyton.
No. 188. Rafferty, trustee, vs. Spear & Co.
No. 189. McVay & Co. vs. Canfield.
No. 190. Alexander & Son vs. Kerr et al.
No. 191. Hillenbrand vs. Goppert.
No. 194. Backop vs. Dyer.
No. 196. Laner & Bro. vs. Hacke.
No. 197. Heckestine vs. Fimme.
No. 198. Duffner vs. Redinger et al.

District Court.

[*Before Judges Ewing, Kirkpatrick and White.*]

The jury in the case of the owners of the steamboat "R. J. Lockwood" vs. the Eureka Insurance Company is out.

The jury is out in the case of Fred. Ulmer vs. Dr. W. Snively, tried before Judge Ewing. This is an action to recover damages for an alleged intrusion on the part of the defendant in rendering professional services.

The case of Ellen Hodder et al. vs. J. D. Schooley, previously reported, has all been submitted to the jury. Jury out.

In the two cases of Pflaum vs. Lisberger and Lisberger vs. Pflaum, the parties agreed to dispense with trial by jury and submit the decision of the causes to the Court, and that the Court shall hear and determine the same, and that the judgment thereon shall be subject to a writ of error, as in other cases. This is done in accordance with the provisions of Section 27, of Article 5, of the new Constitution.

In the case of Isaac Pennock for use vs. Robert Robb, deposition was filed and judgment entered against defendant, by consent of the parties, for $1,545.

Trial List for To-day.

No. 46. Emery vs. Keifer.
" 49. Travelers' Insurance Co. vs. Thorne et al.
" 60. Germania Sav. Bank vs. Goettman.
" 61. Meyer vs. McCarthy.
" 64. Lightner & Co. vs. Lens et. al.
" 85. Gorman vs. McLaren.
" 86. Katz vs. Fleming.
" 87. Luthy vs. Ryan.
" 91. French vs. Skelding.

European Steamship Arrivals Yesterday.

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DIED.

AGNEW—On Tuesday morning, April 28th, at 6½ o'clock, MARY, infant daughter of Erastus and Mary Agnew, aged 6 months and 10 days.

Funeral from the parents' residence, No. 20 Second avenue, Pittsburgh, on 29th inst, at 2 P. M.

BROWN—On Tuesday evening, April 28th, at a quarter to seven o'clock, STEWART BROWN, in the 61st year of his age.

The funeral from his late residence, No. 226 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, on THURSDAY AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Wheeling papers please copy.]

FINAN—On Monday morning, at 9:30 A. M., Mrs. ELLEN, wife of Robert Finan, aged 58 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, No. 63 Chatham street, THIS (Wednesday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock.

FOSTER—On Sunday evening, April 26, 1874, of pneumonia, WM. W. FOSTER, in the 39th year of his age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 33 Franklin street, TO-DAY (Wednesday), April 29, at 2 o'clock.

PAUL—At Swissvale, on Monday evening, at 7 o'clock, WM. GARRETT, infant son of John C. and Ella M. Paul.

Funeral WEDNESDAY, April 29th, at 12 o'clock, noon. Remains will be taken from Swissvale Station, P. R. R., for interment, on the Cincinnati Express.

MacCONNELL—On Tuesday, at 8:29 P. M., LOUISE ROBINETTE, wife of John G. MacConnell.

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OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, April 29, 1874.

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Darlington Capt H, Day E P, Darry Jos, Dawson Wm, Davis J C, Dearbaum W F, Deering Dr F W, Dempsey R (for, Desgrove J, Devereaux J, Dice S, Dickey J T, Diley C, Donohu Thos, Dollon H J, Doherty J (for Transfer Cap), Dufee W H, Edgar Rev Wm, Edwards Jno L, Ebel Jas, Ecker D R, Elck Jno, Elill J, Elder P C, Ely Dr, Emer E R, Engelhart A, Evans A G, Farwell A, Fay F, Fenton M, Fenn S P, Featherstone G, Fisher Pat (for, Fite J R, Flack M C, Flafner Jos, Forence R J, Fleming Geo, Fletcher Mr, Fitcher Jack, Forbes Arthur, Forrest W H, Fox Noah, French C D, Fultenbinner A, Fuller Jno, Garmon W J, Greves F M, George A M, Gibson Danl, Gleason Robt, Gilles le W H, Glynn B (for, Goulden J A (3, Graham S V, Graham P, Green Luther, Green Frank, Halsey Rev L, Hallifield G (for, Halladay Rica, Hall Wm, Hardie Jas, Harper Harrie, Harper Samuel (Water street), Harris Jno, Hastings W H, Haas M, Henrich Lewis, Herns B, Hefner Pat, Hemphill G M, Henry Rich, Henry Jno, Hindman And, Higgins J J, Hillen J W, 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C, Lozan A H, Lorse Thos, Mahan Capt W C, Maguire Michl, Macauly Jas A, Macer J L, Mack Jacob, Marks Peter, Mahoney Barney, May Wm, Matchett Alex, Marion Francis, Maxwell Geo W, Morlow Jno, Mayll Z T, Marto Pat, Meanon J C, Milligan Rev J L, Millett Eugene, Miller Jno W, Miller Cyrus, Miller Jno, Miller F C, Miller K M, Miller A, Miller S, Mosteragh Geo J, Montgomery Wm (for), Montgomery Wm, Moody A G, Moore Henry V, Moore Wm, Murry Thos, Murphy S F, Mushrush J B 2, Mulholland J (for, Muser Geo, Mudgett Wm H, Mullan Ed, McAnifer Ed, McAllister A, McAboy A R, McCarthy Wm H, McCline Jos, McGraton Robt, McCully C F, McCoy T 2, McComb Jos, McComb Mr (for, McCrum A C, McCreery Wm, (not H McC), McCutcheon Jas, McFadden R H, McFarlen Saml, McGovern O, McLaughlin J, McNamara Ed, McHenry N, McKee T A M, McKee Mr, 109 Fourth st, McLas, McKenne Pat, McKenny J (for, McLaughlin A (for, McLean D (for 4, McMullin A K, McNamara Thos, Nazelie Pat, Nelson M, Newell Jno, Nobel John, Norbeck Jno, Norbeen 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ADDITIONAL RIVER NEWS.

[Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

OIL CITY, 6 P. M., April 28, 1874.

River four feet and falling slowly. The weather is cloudy, cold and snowing. G.

CINCINNATI, April 28.—River forty-two feet, and rising. Arrived—Andy Baum, Memphis; Charmer, Evansville. Departed—R. R. Hudson, Wheeling; Minneola, Memphis; Tom Jasper, St. Louis. Cloudy, windy and chilly.

LOUISVILLE, April 28.—River rising fast, with 13 feet 1 inch in canal and 11 feet 10 inches in chute on the falls. Weather cloudy and cold, with appearance of snow. Business dull. Boats up—Eureka, to Madison; Ben Franklin, to Cincinnati. Down—Grey Eagle, Henderson. In port—Robert Mitchell. The following towboats with tows passed up—Little Condor, John Hanna, Nail City, Alex. Swift and Lioness. Passed down—Storm and tow. Arrived—Boaz, Billy McGowan and Mary Ann, from above, with coal. The Charley Brown returns to Cairo. The remains of Capt. John Brindley, of the steamer Ruby, are on the Charles Rodman, coming to New Albany.

ST. LOUIS, April 28.—Arrived—Fearless, Pittsburgh; Tyrone, Cairo; Helena, Vicksburg; Rob Roy, Keokuk; Wolff, upper Missouri. Departed—Savannah, Madison; Rob Roy, Keokuk; Babbage, Ohio river; Belle of LaCrosse, St. Paul; Oil City, Memphis. River falling. Cloudy, cold and windy; clearing to-night and warmer.

EVANSVILLE, April 28.—Rained from 7 last night till 4 P. M. Mercury 48 to 40. River fallen 8 inches. Down—Exporter, 10 P. M.; Hobbs and barges, 10 A. M.; Tarascon, 9 P. M. Up—Ben Franklin, 10 P. M.; Silverthorn, 10:30; Arkansas Belle, 3 A. M.; George Roberts, 8; Mary Ament, 5 P. M. Business dull.

MEMPHIS, April 28.—Clear this evening; cool and blustering all day. River stationary. Departed—Susie Silver, New Orleans; Peytona, Louisville; Belle of Texas and Clarksville, Arkansas river; Pat Rogers, Cincinnati.

CAIRO, April 28.—Arrived—Paragon, New Orleans, 4 P. M.; Warner, New Orleans, 5. Departed—Fred Wilson, Louisville, 1 P. M.; Paragon, St. Louis, 4; Bigley, St. Louis, 5; Warner, Cincinnati, 6. River 47 feet, a fall of 4 inches. Clear; mercury 50.

NASHVILLE, April 28.—River still declining; 34 feet on shoals. Cloudy and showery. Departed—Lawrence, Cincinnati; B. H. Cook and Eddyville, Upper Cumberland.

NEW ORLEANS, April 28.—Arrived—Future City and barges, St. Louis. No Departures. Clear and pleasant. River stationary.

Daily Bulletin.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATORY,
PITTSBURGH, April 28, 1874, 10:48 P. M.

The weather at Cairo is clear, thermometer, 47; Cincinnati, O., fair, thermometer, 39; Davenport, Iowa, clear, thermometer, 43; Fort Gibson, C. N., clear, thermometer, 50; Indianapolis, Ind., clear, thermometer, 39; Keokuk, Iowa, clear, thermometer, 46; Lacrosse, fair, thermometer, 44; Leavenworth, Kan., clear, thermometer, 48; Louisville, Ky., clear, thermometer, 41; Memphis, Tenn., clear, thermometer, 48; Nashville, Tenn., clear, thermometer, 40; Omaha, Neb., clear, thermometer, 46; Pittsburgh, Pa., light snow, thermometer, 34; Shreveport, La., clear, thermometer, 60; St. Louis, Mo., clear, thermometer, 43; St. Paul, Minn., fair, thermometer, 45; Vicksburg, Miss., clear, thermometer, 52; Yankton, D. T., fair, thermometer, 50. GEO. H. ROHE, Observer.

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APPEALS FROM ASSESSMENTS.

Appellants From the Twentieth Ward.—Reductions Made.

The Board of Revision met yesterday morning, Mr. Kennedy in the chair. The following appeals from the Twentieth ward were disposed of. David Aiken, Jr., twenty-one acres, from $168,000 to $161,000. George Hallman, one brick stable, from $1,000 to $800; extra furniture, from $2,500 to $2,000; two houses, from $600 to $250; piano, from $500 to $250. George S. Head, twenty-five lots, from $25,000 to $18,000. Alexander Bates, fifty-three lots, from $80,000 to $67,000; two dwellings increased by request of appellant, from $2,500 to $4,500; barouche reduced from $350 to $100; three houses from $400 to $300, two story brick house from $3,000 to $2,500. W. S. Easton, one dwelling, from $2,500 to $1,800. D. M. Park, one dwelling from $2,500 to $2,000. Thos. Aiken's estate, four acres from $32,000 to $20,000; stable from $300 to $200; extra furniture from $1,000 to $600. Thos. S. Stevenson, extra furniture from $950 to $700. Thos. P. Sellers, frame stable from $1,000 to $350. D. W. C. Bidwell, three and a half acres assessed at $9,000 per acre. Appeal dismissed. Extra furniture reduced from $2,500 to $2,000. Amos Gable, four acres, assessed at $36,000. Appeal dismissed. Dr. A. H. Gross, sixty-two acres. Assessed at $8,000 per acre. Reduced to $7,000 per acre, on account of ground taken for streets. Chas. W. Batchelor, six acres of land at $10,000 per acre. The price for front half and Penn avenue was fixed at $11,000 and the rear half at $6,000 per acre, making the average valuation of land $9,000 per acre. Wm. Carr, extra furniture, from $5,000 to $1,600; horse from $250 to $50; buggies, from $690 to $300. Catharine Roup, one hundred acres, reduced from $800,000 to $700,000. John Roup's heirs, fifty acres, assessed at $260,000; owner's valuation $200,000. To the surprise of the appellant the valuation was increased to $300,000. John M. Irwin, two acres in the Thirteenth ward, reduced from $10,000 to $8,000. James Cassiday, two acres in the Thirteenth ward, from $10,000 to $8,000. E. J. Cassiday, four acres, Thirteenth ward, from $20,000 to $16,000. Mrs. Susan McLean, one acre, Twentieth ward, reduced from $8,000 to $6,000. House from $10,000 to $8,000. Mrs. Samuel Brown, one house from $10,000 to $8,000. The vote dismissing the appeal of Amos Gable was reconsidered. Reduced from $36,000 to $33,000. J. M. M. King, ten acres on Center avenue, Thirteenth ward. Reduction of $9,000 for three acres in a ravine; the aggregate assessment is now $71,000. Mrs. McGuffy, Twentieth ward, two-story house from $6,000 to $5,000; frame stable from $800 to $500; horse from $300 to $175; buggy $300 to $125. The Board will meet again this morning.

In this day's Gazette, Mr. Alexander advertises two million feet of dry lumber and another two million feet afloat in rafts. This lumber is of all desirable thicknesses and runs largely into clear stuff. It is well worthy of the attention of builders and contractors. For address, &c., see advertisement.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OPENING OF THE
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10½ lbs A Sugar	$1 00
Best Roasted Coffee	28 cents
Good Roasted Coffee	27 cents
Pekin Tea House Coffee	20 cents
Dried Corn	12½ cents
6 Bars Wax Soap	25 cents
7 Bars Woman's Friend Soap	25 cents
12 Cakes Toilet Soap	20 cents
Flour, per bbl	7 00
Flour, per sack	1 60
No. 1 Salt, per bbl	1 80

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MONDAY, April 27, and every evening during the week, and Saturday Matinee, the Universal Favorite,
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TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, April 28 and 29,
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LECTURE BY
REV. W. H. GILL,
THURSDAY EVE'G, April 30, 1874.
Subject, - WILLIAM THE THIRD.
Tickets 50 cents. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture to commence at 8 o'clock. The first floor of the Hall will be reserved for Ladies and Gentlemen accompanied by Ladies. Toerge's Orchestra will be in attendance from 7 to 8 o'clock. ap29

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LOOK FOR THE GRAND PARADE.
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AT AUCTION.
On MONDAY EVENING, May 4, at 8 o'clock, will be sold at A. LEGGATE & CO.'S office, 171 Federal street, two of the most desirable lots in Allegheny city, for the erection of first-class residences. They are situate on the South Side of Ridge avenue, adjacent to Mr. English's residence, between Grant avenue and the Park, and are surrounded on all sides by the most costly residences in the city. Ridge avenue is destined to be the most select and fashionable street in the city, and it is hard to say when another opportunity will be presented to secure a foothold thereon. Only one or two lots besides those now offered remain unsold, so that now is emphatically the time to buy. Intending buyers will please notice that the appearance of the avenue will be much improved when the present vacant lots are graded and built up.
That portion of Seminary Hill in rear of the present lots is being removed, which will add very much to their appearance and consequent value. The corner lot is 56 feet and the inside lot 50 feet wide. Both run 200 feet deep to a 40 foot street. They are grand lots, and should excite more than common interest.
Remember that at least 50 feet will be sold unreservedly. Chances like this are like angels' visits—few and far between.
Full particulars by mail, or in person by
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AUCTIONEERS,
ap28:118 171 Federal street, Allegheny.

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Orphans' Court Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that as Executor of the last will and testament of BARTHOLOMEW DAVIS, dec'd under the authority and direction of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, Pa., I will expose to sale at public auction on the premises, on

THURSDAY, May 28th, A. D. 1874,

at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., Lot No. 1 in Dale & Maitland's plan, situate on the corner of Pennsylvania and Irwin avenues, in the Second ward of Allegheny city, Pa., fronting twenty-two (22) feet on the north side of said Pennsylvania avenue, and thence extending along the west side of Irwin avenue northwardly, preserving the same width, 105 feet to an alley; on which there is erected a two story frame dwelling house, &c., being the same premises conveyed to said decedent by deed dated Nov. 4th, 1839, and recorded in vol. 82, page 640.

TERMS—One-third cash; one-third in one year, and the remaining third in two years, the deferred payments to bear interest, and to be secured by a bond and mortgage with Sci. Fa. clause on the premises.

ALEX. DAVIS, Executor.
April 21, 1874. ap22-a89-w

Auditor's Notice!

In the matter of the account of A. S. BELL, Esq., Administrator of the Estate of JANE SCOTT, deceased, in the Orphans' Court of Allegheny County, Pa., at No. 47, March Term 1874.

The undersigned, having been appointed Auditor by said Court to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the Administrator to and among the persons entitled thereto, hereby gives notice that he will discharge the duties of said appointment at his office, No. 87 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., on

WEDNESDAY, May 20, 1874;

at 3 o'clock, P. M., at which time and place all creditors, heirs and all others interested in the distribution of said decedent's estate are notified to be present.

J. W. KIRKER, Auditor.
APRIL 21, 1874. ap22:88

NOTICE.—LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION to the Estate of THOMAS F. SMITH, late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent will make known the same, without delay, to

GEORGE SMITH, Administrator,
At the office of J. S. & A. P. Morrison,
Attorneys-at-Law,
mh18:236-w 142 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned on the Estate of MARGARET WALTER, late of Tarentum Borough, deceased. Persons indebted to said Estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

WM. V. EVANS, Executor,
Tarentum, Allegheny county, Pa.
MARCH 10, 1874. mh11:198-w

IN THE MATTER OF THE ACCOUNT of Charles P. Whiston, Committee of the estate of SAMUEL STEWART, a lunatic. In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, Pa., No. 744 December T., 1870. And now, April 18, 1874, account of Committee filed and the same will be confirmed on the first Monday of June, 1874, unless exceptions are filed thereto. By order of the Court.

ap21:382 CHAS. P. WHISTON, Committee.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—LETTERS testamentary to the estate of J. G. Comstock, Esq., late of Sharpsburg, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned. Persons having claims against the estate will present them forthwith, and those indebted to the estate will make payment immediately to the undersigned at Sharpsburg, Pa.

H. F. DUNHAM,
mal9-235-w LETITIA COMSTOCK.

OFFICIAL---PITTSBURGH.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, April 22, 1874.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED Proposals will be received at this office until MONDAY, the 4th day of May, 1874, at 2 P. M., for the following work:

GRADING.
Lang avenue, from Penn avenue to Penna. railroad.
GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING.
Camp street from Herron avenue to Jefferson street.
Alpine street from Camp street to Bellefield avenue.
Jefferson street from Ridge street to Alpine street.
Madison street from Jefferson street to 33d street.
Iowa street from Clay street to Bellefield avenue.
Adelaide street from Madison street to Iowa street.
35th street from Butler street to Allegheny river.
SEWERS.
20 inch pipe on Yard's alley from Pius street to Josephine street.

Also for the numbering of Fifth avenue. Bidders will furnish samples of numbers.

Plans and specifications and blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received after 3 P. M. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids should they deem it necessary for the interest of the property owners or the city.

ap22 A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVISION,
THIRD FLOOR, MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, MARCH 9, 1874.

THE BOARD OF REVISION WILL sit on the following named days at 10 o'clock A. M., in Common Council Chamber and hear all complaints from aggrieved parties before final adoption of the Wards named below. Books now ready for inspection.

April 27—Thirteenth and Fifteenth wards.
April 28—Twentieth ward.
April 29—Thirty-second and Thirty-fifth wards.
By order of the Board of Revision.
ap21 THOS. H. PHELPS, Secretary.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

NOTICE—THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned and Samuel B. French, in the manufacture of Fire Brick, under the firm of French & Quay, having been dissolved by the death of Capt. French, all claims against said firm will be presented, properly authenticated, for settlement, and all persons indebted thereto will make payment to me, at Beaver, Pa.

M. S. QUAY.
JOSEPH R. HARRAH, Attorney. ap24

OFFICIAL---ALLEGHENY.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, PA., April 9, 1874.

NOTICE TO PARTIES INTERESTED.—The report of the Viewers on the opening of CALIFORNIA AVENUE, from Strawberry lane to Sedgwick having been finally confirmed, notice is hereby given that the assessment for benefits are now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer. If not paid within sixty days from this date, liens will be filed on the unpaid assessments with interest, costs and fees.

JAMES BROWN,
ap9:330 Controller.

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY CO.
PITTSBURGH, April 1, 1874.

NOTICE.

By authority of Commissioners of Allegheny county, and in pursuance of the twenty-first section of the act relating to Allegheny county, approved the first day of May, 1861, and the amendment to the said section, approved the 30th day of March, 1866, I do hereby give notice that the duplicates for the several wards, boroughs and townships will be open, and I will be prepared to receive the

County, State and Poor Taxes for 1874 on and After the 15th Day of May, 1874.

Said taxes can be paid at this office until the 1st DAY OF JULY, with a deduction of TEN PER CENT., and from the 1st of July until the 15th day of August with a reduction of FIVE PER CENT. for prompt payment to all persons paying the whole amount of their taxes.

There will be NO DEDUCTION ALLOWED from the 15th day of August until the 15th day of September.

There will be TEN PER CENT. ADDED to all taxes remaining unpaid on the 15th day of September, 1874.

SAMUEL KILGORE,
COUNTY TREASURER.

DR. THOS. J. GALLAHER,
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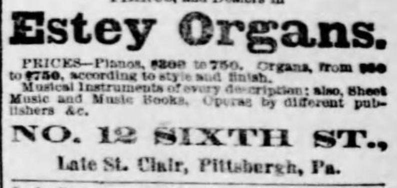
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